

"Galaxy of Stars" Limousin Sale At Chelsea, OK., May 6

Chelsea, Okla.—The W-Roberts and Associates "Galaxy of Stars" Limousin Sale will be held Friday, May 6, 1983, at 6:00 p.m. at the W-Roberts Ranch at Chelsea, Oklahoma.

Selling will be approximately 115 lots including 4 fullblood bulls, 5 American purebred bulls and 1,875 females. Also selling will be 4 fullblood females, 7 purebred and percentage females carrying fullblood embryos, 9 pregnant recipient cows carrying fullblood embryos and W-Roberts will offer one flush from any of their fullblood cows mated to Easy Jet.

The balance of the offering is made up of 21 purebred cows with calves at side, 24 bred purebred females, 28 open

purebred heifers, 9-75% females with calves at side and 5 bred 75% females. Sale headquarters will be the Best Western Motor Inn at Claremore, Oklahoma 918/841-4410.

Auctioneer will be C.K. "Sonny" Booth. For information contact W-Roberts, Rt. 1, Box 327, Chelsea, Okla. 74016, 918/789-8307 or the sale management, American Cattle Services, Rt. 1, Chattanooga, Okla. 73628, 405/855-3006.

Diamond M-Joerls Beefmaster Sale Set For April 16

George West, TX — Diamond M Beefmasters and Joerls Beefmasters "The Brand Sale" will be held Saturday, April 16, 1983, at 1:00 p.m. at the Diamond M Beefmaster Ranch. The ranch is located 2 miles east of George



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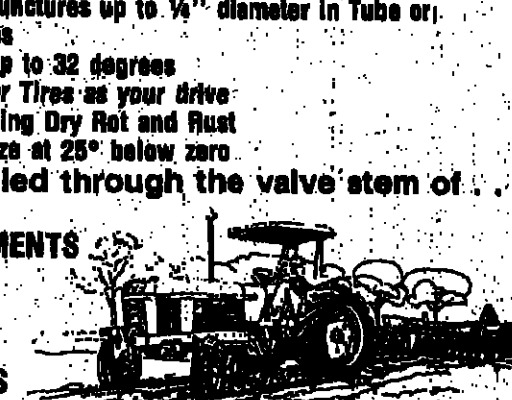
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Rufus Floyd of Gonzales, TX, was the volume buyer at the Allen Longhorn Dispersal, March 5 in Granbury, TX.



TTT Miss Surva Jumbo 687, owned by Emmitt Schulte III, Cypress, TX, was the champion Brahman female of the Victoria Livestock Show.



3X's Mucha Crown Prince, owned by 3X Ranch, Pinedale, TX, was the champion Brahman bull of the Victoria Livestock Show.

Hardin Brothers Beefmaster Sale Set for April 16

Hubbard City, TX — The 9th Annual Hardin Brothers Beefmaster Production Sale will be held Saturday, April 16, 1983, at 1:00 p.m. at Hubbard City, midway between Waco and Corsicana, Texas on Hwy. 34.

Selling will be 150 head of quality Beefmaster cattle including breeding age bulls, young bulls, bred and open heifers, cows and pairs.

A pre-sale will be held at 7:00 p.m., April 15 at the Holiday Inn in Corsicana, Texas.

Auctioneer will be The Hamilton. For information contact Don Hardin, Rt. 3, Waxahatchie, TX 75167-4619 or Ross Hardin, Rt. 3, Box 718, Scurry, Texas 75168, 214/496-3401.

West, Texas on Hwy. 59 and one mile south on Hwy. 799, Special guest consignors will be Kenneth Naylor, Ken Collins and Roney Hood. This is a BBU Approved Sale.

Selling will be 185 lots of Beefmaster cattle combining 30 years of Beefmaster breeding experience.

A pre sale party is set for Friday evening, April 15.

For information contact Don C. Moore & Sons, Box 806, George West, Texas 75149-1090, Leo & David Joerls, 14021 Cadillac Drive, San Antonio, TX 78248, 512/492-1144, or the sale management and auctioneer, Ray and Michael, 112 W. Victoria, San Antonio, TX 78201, 512/856-5166.

Hutchinson & Sons Limousin Sale at Luling, April 17

Luling, Texas — The Hutchinson and Sons Spectacular Limousin Production Sale will be held Sunday, April 17, 1983, at 1:00 p.m. at the Luling Livestock Auction at Luling, Texas.

Selling will be 40 Black Females ranging from purebred to halfbloods and including bred and open heifers and cows with calves and some rebred.

Also selling will be 26 red females and 18 breeding age bulls.

For information contact J. V. Hutchinson & Sons, Box 875, Dilley, Texas 78017, 512/965-1759 or 965-1181, or Terry Hutchinson 512/965-2122.

Quail Run Ranch Polled Hereford Sale Set April 16

Walnut Springs, Texas — The 4th Annual Quail Run Ranch Polled Hereford Production Sale will be held Saturday, April 16, 1983, at 1:00 p.m. at the ranch located 7 1/2 miles west of Walnut Springs, Texas on FM 927.

Selling will be 80 lots of Polled Hereford cattle including 15 bulls and 45 females.

The sale will feature the get and service of Enforcer 107A, PRL, Hollins, QRR Enforcer 107M M40, and YF Phenomenal 017.

For information and catalogs contact Quail Run Ranch, Sam H. Wells, Rt. 1, Box 690, Walnut Springs, Texas 76690, 817/797-2131 office, or 384-2476 home and sale barn; Albert Stone, Cattle Supervisor, 817/797-8734; or David H. Monnich, Owner 214/242-0644.

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ABBA Statistics Show Strong Demand For Brahmins

The American Brahman Breeders Association released first quarter statistics for 1983 that showed an increase of 25 percent in sales of registered Brahmins, and a 16 percent increase in registration totals.

For the three month period beginning in January, 11,888 head of Brahman cattle had been registered by March, while 7,897 head had been transferred. In releasing these figures, ABBA Executive Vice-President Wendell E. Schronk said, "The growth indicated by these figures graphically demonstrates how popular the Brahman breed really is. These figures become even more impressive when it is considered that several registrations have been lost due to the Brahman breeders that are now enrolling many of their cows in our F1 Brahman Hybrid Certification Program."

"Not only are registrations and transfer totals on the increase, but memberships are up 46 percent for the first quarter of 1983 compared to the 1982 totals," Schronk added.

ABBA's communications department reported that inquiries during this same time frame reflected what was being seen in the recording department's report. No doubt, the growth experienced by ABBA is the effect of the association's bold, new domestic marketing program, its new four-color advertising campaign released in July of 1982, and the innovative F1 Brahman Hybrid Female Certification Program.

Greenwell Chianina Production Sale Set for April 16

Decatur, AL — Greenwell Chianina Farms 4th Annual Production and Show Prospects Sale will be held Saturday, April 16, 1983. Sale time is 12:30 p.m. at the ranch located 7 1/2 miles west of Walnut Springs, Texas on FM 927.

Selling will be 100 lots of Chianina including 20 first class steers.

For information contact Greenwell Chianina Farms, Box 1827, Decatur, Alabama 35602, Rhea Greenwell, 205/778-8896 home, 205/855-8142 office or 205/778-1112 mobile; or Mike Childers 205/778-7800.

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23-Open Purebred Heifers
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5-Bred 75% Females

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Cattle on Feed April 1 in 13 States Reported 4% Up



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Stuph & Thangs

There is a tendency with a lot of folks to get uptight and downright irate every time some of the Special Interest Groups start trying to roll a few logs in the various Government arenas like Congress, the Legislatures and also at County & City levels. Some of these agitated folks weep & wail & gnash their teeth and want to tar and feather and ride these dissidents outta town on a rail, or deport 'em or lock 'em up or beat some sense into 'em.

Actually, these dissidents are as American as motherhood, basketball or apple pie or gas guzzling automobiles. We are prone to forget sometimes that these United States were settled by dissidents for various reasons, mainly reasons that their ideas did not coincide with the majority or ruling powers and became so (CONT. ON PAGE 8A)

Effective Date For Prohibitive Grazing Made Elastic

Washington, U.S. Senator Roger W. Jepsen (R-Iowa) has been given credit for a legislative victory which will allow for a temporary period to remove cattle from feedlots to land outside in the PIK program, because of his concerns that heavy rains and bad weather have caused excessive livestock losses to occur.

According to Jepsen, farmers in Iowa can contact their local ASOS office and request a delay in the mandatory six-month prohibitive grazing period for land set aside for conservation use under PIK.

Senator Jepsen said the waiver is being granted on an individual basis. It will not shorten the prohibited six-month grazing requirement on land designated for conservation use under PIK.

Farmers whose livestock have been adversely affected should contact their local ASOS offices for a two-week reprieve from the six-month prohibitive grazing period that began April 1.

"This allows those farmers," Jepsen said, "who are facing a life or death situation with their livestock to request a change in the effective date for the prohibitive grazing period."

Feedlot Trade Very Slow, Prices Easier

Amarillo, Apr. 19 (F-S) — Trade moderate in the Panhandle area Monday. Slaughter steers weak to 50 lower, heifers untested. Feedlots reported fairly good interest and inquiry from most buying sources. Sales on 9,100 slaughter steers and 800 heifers, 18,100 head sold for the week to date. Steers good and mostly choice 2-3, 70-85% choice, 1000-1100 lb. 72.00-75.00, mostly 72.00. Mixed good and choice 2-3 75-1075 lb. 70.00-72.00. Couple pens good and choice 2-3 1100-1150 lb. Holsteins 105.00-108.00 in the meat. Heifers: 800 head good and mostly choice 2-3 800-1000 lb. 68.50-69.50.

Trade slow in the Panhandle area Friday and over the weekend. Slaughter steers and heifers generally steady. Steers 700 Couple pens good and mostly choice 2-3 75-1075 lb. 70.00-72.00. (CONT. ON PAGE 7A)

Larry Dorsey New Regional Manager

Larry Dorsey, a native of Bosman, Montana, has been named regional manager in Montana, North Dakota and Wyoming for the American Angus Association, reports Dick Spader, association executive vice president.

He will serve in a dual role capacity for both the American Angus Association and Angus Journal representative in this territory and will also cover Alberta and Saskatchewan, Canada, for the Journal.

Severe Weather Condition in January-March Quarter had Heavy Impact on Operations, 9.15 Million on Feed

Washington, April 18 (USDA) — Cattle and calves on feed April 1 for the slaughter market in the 13 quarterly states totaled 9.15 million head, up 4% from a year earlier and up 6% from 1981, according to the Crop Reporting Board. The cattle on feed inventory included 5.82 million steers and steer calves. An increase of 3% over last year's level and up fractionally from 1981. Steers and steer calves made up 64% of the inventory total for April 1, virtually unchanged from 1982. Heifers and heifer calves accounted for 3.30 million head of the April 1 inventory. Showing an increase of 8% over a year ago and a 17% increase over two years earlier.

Placements of cattle and calves into feedlots during the January-March 1983 quarter totaled 5.05 million head. Down 9% from the same quarter last year, but 6% above the first quarter of 1981. Other disappearance totaled 451 thousand leaving net placements at 4.60 million head.

Markings of feed cattle for slaughter during the January-March quarter totaled 5.71 million head, 5% more than last year and 9% more than the comparable 1981 quarter.

Severe weather conditions during the quarter in major cattle feeding areas had a detrimental effect on cattle in feedlots restricting weight gains and contributing to other disappearance. As a result of pro-

longed muddy conditions in feedlots, placements and marketings were both reduced. Some slaughter plants experienced temporary shutdowns or reduced hours due to unavailability of finished cattle.

Cattle feeders intend to market 6.7 million head during the April-June quarter of 1983. This would be an increase in expected marketings of 11 and 11 percent over 1982 and 1981, respectively.

Cattle on feed April 1, 1983, in the seven monthly states totaled 7.37 million head, 3% above April 1, 1982, and 5% above two years ago. Placements in feedlots during March, at 1.33 million, decreased 22% from last year but were 1% more than March 1981. Marketings during March totaled 1.59 million, 3% above the same month in both 1982 and 1981. Other disappearance during March was 137 thousand compared with 166 thousand last year and 119 thousand in 1981.

In January-March quarterly marketings, at 4.74 million head, were up 6% from last year and 5% above the same quarter in 1981. The January-March marketings in seven states accounted for 84% of the 13-state total. Expected marketings for the April-June 1983 quarter are estimated at 4.72 million, up 9% from the same quarter in 1982.

Fed Cattle, Butcher Hogs Sold Lower in Trading Monday

At the central markets on Monday the receipts of cattle were about 1,400 under a week ago, but buyers were reported highly selective and most markets posted steady to unevenly lower prices on steers and heifers. Cows were lower at nearly all points in view of the lower turn on cow slaughter. Cattle carrying must still remain a factor in the trade and feeders were active on some of the good and choice steers that were muddy. Monday's estimated cattle kill was 128,000, which was 13,000 ahead of last week and 19,000 above one year earlier.

Receipts of market hogs were 4,800 above a week ago and prices on butcher hogs were unevenly to sharply lower at all points. Declining pork cuts prices coupled with a sizable increase in Monday's slaughter estimates put heavy pressure on prices. Several markets reported late prices were under those paid earlier in the day on both hogs and fat cattle. Price trends, quotations on choice and prime steers and heifers and the mixed good and choice grades and (CONT. ON PAGE 7A)

Carlot Beef Opens Mostly \$2.00 Lower, Pork Sags Again

Des Moines, Apr. 18 (F-S) — Central U.S. Carlot Beef Report includes the major production areas in the Midwest and Texas-Oklahoma. Panhandle as of 4:00 p.m. Compared to Friday's 4:00 p.m. report: steer and heifer carcasses \$2.00 lower except choice 400-450 lb. beef steady to \$1.00 lower. Demand and trading light, no moderate offerings. The gross boxed beef carcasses (net value) declined .65 to an estimated \$112.69 per cwt. Sales reported on 58 loads of steer and heifer carcasses.

Steer carcasses: 30 1/4 loads (including 4 1/4 to processors); 16 to packers; FOB Omaha Basis: 10 choice 3 600-800 lb. 106.00, 200 lower. 4 choice 4 600-800 lb. (CONT. ON PAGE 7A)

Contact On Refunds After 10-Week Wait

Taxpayers expecting a refund on their 1982 federal income taxes can expect to wait up to 10 weeks for it, IRS says that normal processing can take as long as 10 weeks and that you should not attempt to check on the refund until after that time.



Governor Mark White, seated, signs the Texas Wildlife Conservation Act of 1983 as Ed Cox Jr., vice chairman of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission, left, and Sen. Ted Lyon, D-Rockwall and co-sponsor of the act, center, look on.

Governor Mark White Signs Wildlife Conservation Act

Austin — Gov. Mark White recently signed into law the Texas Wildlife Conservation Act of 1983 which will enhance the stability of the state's wildlife populations and expand outdoor opportunities for sportsmen and outdoor enthusiasts.

The act gives the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department statewide authority of wildlife management and eliminates (CONT. ON PAGE 7A)

STAMPEDE By Jerry Palen



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Dean Blackwell of the Whitehouse
Ranch in Chandler, TX; Leo Hicks of
Alto, TX; E. O. Doggett of Bullard, TX;
Billy Powell of Powell Farms in Troup,
TX; Tom Dean of Cherokee Ranch in
Cherokee, TX; James M. Cline of Tex-
arkans, TX; and Bruce W. Lowrie of
Fort Worth, TX.

The sale will feature 42 top female
lots including cow-calf pairs, two-year-
old heifers, and embryo interests in
selected females. The sale also has
three outstanding herd bulls consigned.
A spokesman for the group stated
that their primary objective will be to
offer "the best available Brahman
anywhere." For more information con-
tact the individual consignors or the

Jack Walling Recovers Nicely From Surgery

Jack Walling, sales coordinator of the
embryo transplant division at
Longier Farms, was reported late
last week recovering nicely after
quadruple by-pass surgery. The opera-
tion was performed March 28 and he is
expected to be back in the office by May
2. He is at home at Axtell, Texas.
Friends may reach him at 817/868-5740.

Tulsa Monday

Tulsa, Apr. 18 (F-S) — Receipts
2,000. Feeder steers and heifers steady
to 2.00 lower after opening 8.00-4.00
lower. Slaughter cows 1.00-2.00 lower.
Bulls steady. Feeder steers: medium
frame no. 1 800-400 lb. 73.00-82.00, most-
ly 77.00-82.00; 400-500 lb. 70.00-74.50;

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an activity, or it is a myth.

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Stuph & Thangs

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unhappy they lit a shuck for a new country
and a new place to enjoy their con-
trary ideas and views.
While some of these Special Interest
Groups are so far out in left field that
their caterwauling seems ridiculous, and
even at times downright humorous, their
right to howl at the moon are any thing
else that will hold still long enough to let
'em get cranked up, don't really do a lot
of harm as long as they keep off private
property and don't try to plant any bombs
and turn their complaints into terrorist
chambers. Letting 'em off their steam,
as long as it is harmless and no one takes
it too seriously seems harmless enough.
Of course, when they get to comin' on
so strong as to deprive other people of
their rights, there needs to be some
drastic action applied. That's what we got
for, is to protect th' rights of those
who happen to disagree with their views.
It is sad to say that we have a percentage
of scoff laws among these people and it
is even more of a disgrace that we have
a percentage of people occupyin' judicial
positions are just as far off center as some
of these agitators and they interpret th'
law along some of th' same silly lines.
Frankly, we think some of th' screwball
ideas these folks come up with are good
for th' country, since they prove to one
and all that these United States are th'
finest places in th' world by a long, long
way and th' only place in which these pro-
moters would escape incarceration,
busted heads or death. We figure you and
me ort to just set back and let 'em have
any harmless fun they generate. When it
gits past th' harmless stage, they need to
have th' law crack down and halter break
'em.

Ever thine,
The Editor.
P.S.: Uncle Dunk hears from some of
his Kansas informants that since Sen.
Bob Dole got onto his High Tax Binge
that he ain't near th' fair haired boy he
once was up there in th' Sunflower State.
Some of his former strong backers in th'
mess arena are ready to take a crack
at his th' first chance they git. Dunk fig-
gers th' farther it goes th' righter Will
figgers was. He once said that he be-
longed to no Organized Political Party/
he was a lifelong Democrat. When th'
Democrats start heatin' up th' Presiden-
tial candidates they are gonna have th'
Old FDR coalition of labor, liberals,
Jews, blacks and Conservative
Southerners tryin' to get their hands on
th' steerin' wheel and if that don't raise
more Cain than a camel with his nose
under th' tent in a sand storm, Dunk
misses his guess. — Thassall, Brother!

Weighty Feeders Steady At Amarillo Monday

Amarillo, Apr. 18 (F-S) — Receipts
8,000, on hand for Tuesday 4,700. Trade
fairly active. Demand good for feeder
steers over 700 lb. heifers over 600 lb. fair
for balance. Feeder steers over 700 lb.
mostly steady, 600-700 lb. 60-1.00 lower,
under 600 lb. 1.00-2.00 lower. Feeder
heifers over 600 lb. steady. Lighter
weights steady to 1.00 lower. Not enough
slaughter cows sold to test trends.
Slaughter bulls 4.00-5.00 lower. Feeder
steers: medium & large frame No. 1: Few
200-300 lb. 77.00-85.00; 300-400 lb.
74.00-78.75; 400-500 lb. 71.00-74.25;
600-600 lb. 67.75-71.00; 800-700 lb.
60.00-68.75; 700-800 lb. 59.50-68.50;
800-825 lb. 57.10-69.50. Medium & large
frame mixed No. 2: 400-600 lb.
80.00-88.75; 600-800 lb. 65.00-67.00.
Heifers: medium & large frame No. 2:

Cattle Sold Lower At San Antonio

San Antonio, Apr. 18 (F-S) — Receipts
2,500. Slaughter cows 1.00-3.00 lower.
Slaughter bulls 2.00 lower. Feeder steers
and bulls very uneven steady to 1.00
lower, instances 2.00 lower. Feeder
heifers steady to 2.00 lower. Slaughter
Cows: Utility 2-3 38.25-45.50, mostly
40.25-44.50. Cutter 1-2 34.25-41.75, few
42.00-43.00, canner and low cutter
30.00-36.00. Bulls: Yield grade 1-2
1200-2000 lbs. 49.75-53.75.
Feeder Steers and Bulls: Medium frame
No. 1: 200-300 lbs. 82.00-89.00, 300-400
lbs. 75.00-83.00, few 84.00-85.00, 400-500
lbs. 67.50-74.50, few 75.00-78.00, 500-600
lbs. 69.75-68.50. Medium and large frame
No. 2: 300-400 lbs. 69.00-78.50, 400-500
lbs. 68.00-72.50, mostly 63.25-68.50,
500-600 lbs. 59.50-65.50, 600-850 lbs.
55.25-68.25. Heifers: Medium frame No.
1: 300-400 lbs. 68.75-68.50, 400-500 lbs.

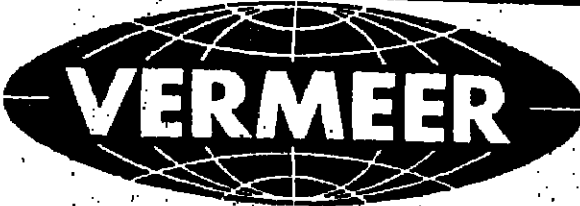
61.25-67.00, mostly 63.00-65.00, 500-625
lbs. 60.00-65.50. Medium frame No. 2:
275-400 lbs. 60.50-66.00, 400-500 lbs.
55.00-62.00. Large frame No. 2: 375-500
lbs. 61.25-64.50, 500-850 lbs. 59.00-62.75.
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lower. Sows 1.00-2.00 lower. U.S. 1-2
200-250 lbs. 47.00-47.25, 41 head near 225
lbs. 47.50. U.S. 2-3 220-270 lbs.
48.00-47.00. Sows: U.S. 1-3 300-600 lbs.
40.00-42.00.

Diamond C Ranch Simmental Jubilee Sale Set May 13

Stephenville, Texas—The 10th Annual
Diamond C Ranch Jubilee Simmental
Production Sale will be held Friday,
May 13, 1983. Sale time is 6:00 p.m. at
the Diamond C Ranch. At 2:30 p.m. the
sale cattle will be evaluated and at 5:00
p.m. dinner will be served.

Selling will be 70 lots including fall
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Auctioneers will be Joe Mitcham and
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Fort Worth Stockyards Sets Special Stocker Feeder Sale, April 28

Fort Worth-A Special Stocker-Feeder Sale is scheduled at the Fort Worth Stockyards for Thursday, April 28, 1983. Odd lots will begin selling at

9:00 a.m. with the Special Sale Cattle to sell immediately following. This special sale continues the tradition of the Fort Worth Stockyards of many years of providing a competitive market for area livestock. The Fort Worth Stockyards sales attract buying power and have competitive prices, assuring consignors the best prices

available and draw cattle in sufficient numbers and uniform quality for buyers to easily fill their needs. Regular auctions at the Fort Worth Stockyards begin at 10:00 a.m. Monday and Tuesday, each week and the stockyards offer a dependable market Monday thru Thursday each week for barrows and gilts, sows, boars, feeder pigs and sheep. For information and to make consignments contact the Fort Worth

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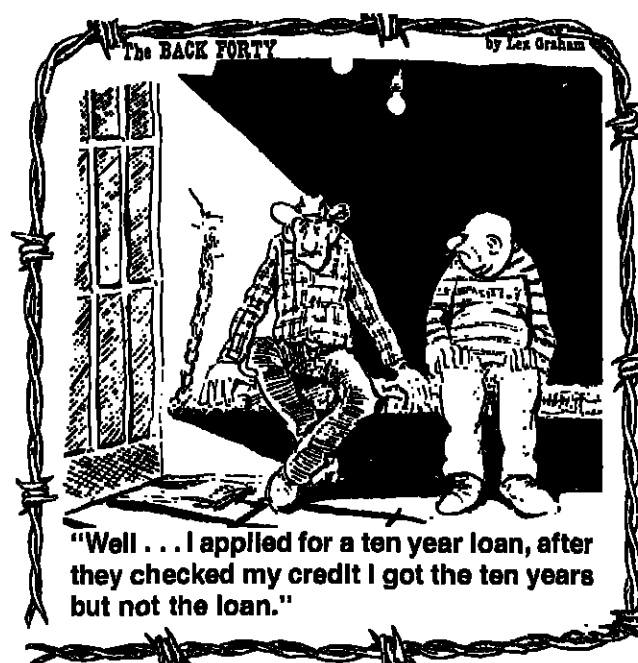
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Black Invitational Chianina Sale at Woodbrook Farm, May 7

Ardmore, Okla.-The 5th Annual Black Invitational Chianina Sale will be held Saturday, May 7, 1983. The sale will be held at Woodbrook Farm at Ardmore, Oklahoma.

Selling will be 175 head of Chianina cattle. For information contact the Sale Management, W.A. "Dub" Venable, Rt. 1, Anadarko, Okla. 73005, 405/247-2267 or 405/247-5761.

DeSoto Cattlemen Set 13th Feeder Cattle Sale for May 30

Mansfield, La.-The 13th Annual DeSoto Cattlemen's Association Feeder Cattle Sale will be held Monday, May 30, 1983. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. at the Mansfield Livestock Auction in Mansfield, La.

Selling will be 1,000 head grouped and graded by LSU Specialist. Included in the offering will be 250 Herefords, 150 Angus, 250 Cross-breeds (Angus-Hereford and Brahman), 200 Holstein and 100 Brangus. The offering is made up of 550 Steers and 450 heifers.

For information contact Elmer Renfro, Sale Manager, 318/872-0287 or 318/872-4252; W.T. Boyd, Chairman of Sales Committee, 818/567-2202 or Chris G. Niles, County Agent, 818/872-0641.

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Chadbourne Ranch Chi-Punch Sale Set for April 29

Bronte, TX - The Chadbourne Ranch Chianina "Chi-Punch" Sale will be held Friday, April 29, 1983. Sale time is 2:00 p.m. at the Ranch at Bronte, Texas. Lunch will be at 12:00 p.m.

Selling will be an outstanding selection of Chianina Cattle. The Chadbourne program offers Chianina cattle for the showing enthusiast. Chianina cross cattle for the commercial cattlemen and superior bloodlines for the purebred breeder.

A special feature of the sale will be the offering of Rehab III, a Miss FH2M X Mr. Italy heifer with all proceeds to

be donated to the West Texas Rehab center for crippled children. For information contact Jim Morrow, Foreman, Chadbourne Ranch, 915/473-5311 or Mike Mauldin, Herdsman, 915/743-8400.

Timmons Herefords Sets Mature Cow Dispersion For Friday, May 13

Weatherford, Tx.-Timmons Herefords has announced a complete mature cow herd dispersion to be held Friday, May 13, 1983. Guest Consignor will be Hilley Hereford Ranch of Mineral Wells. Lunch will be at 11:30 a.m. followed by the sale at 12:00 p.m. The sale will be held at Timmons Hereford Ranch located 5 miles nor-

theast of Weatherford, Texas. Timmons will sell 20 Spring pairs, 5 heifers, 25 fall calving cows and 10 bulls. Hilley will sell 15 cows, most bred to "Yellow Stretch" and 6 open heifers. For information contact Timmons Herefords, 602 North Sylvan, Fort Worth, Tx. 76111, 817/834-2253 office, or 817/838-7320 residence; or George Pete Walden, Jr., Ranch Manager, Rt.

Oklahoma Brahman Spring Sale Set For May 14

Oklahoma City - The 5th Annual Oklahoma Brahman Association Sale will be held Saturday, May 14, 1983. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. Eastern Oklahoma State College, Wilburton, Ok.

Selling will be 40 replacement females and 80 serviceable age bulls. For information contact Gerald Barlow, Sale Chairman, Box 446, Hartshorne, Okla. 74547, 918/297-3846 or Richard McRae, Sale Consultant, Rt. 1, Box 67, Mt. Pleasant, Texas 75455, 314/872-7874.

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Stocker-Feeder Sale at Waxahachie Livestock Comm. Co., April 27

Waxahachie, Tx.—The Next Special Stocker Feeder Sale at the Waxahachie Livestock Commission Co. is scheduled for April 27, 1983. The sale will be held

at 7:00 p.m. for the convenience of customers with other daytime commitments. A regular weekly cattle auction sale is held every Saturday at the Waxahachie Livestock Commission Co. at 12:00 noon. For information on this special sale or the regular weekly sale contact

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Heyser Angus Ranch Sets Sale At Cisco, Apr. 30

Cisco, Tx.—Heyser Angus Ranch's Selected Registered Angus Heifer Sale will be held Saturday, April 30, 1983. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. at Cisco, Texas. A barbecue lunch will be served at 11:30 a.m.

Selling will be 65 head of open registered Angus heifers. Some of the foremost Angus sires will be represented in the sale. Five of the heifers selling have been nominated to the First Prospect Show Heifer Futurity, July 25-30 in Fredericksburg, Texas. Auctioneer will be John Brandon. For information contact Mr. and Mrs. J.V. Heyser, Rt. 2, Cisco, Texas 78437, 817/442-1278 or The Texas Angus Association, 233 North Judkins, Fort Worth, Texas 76111.

Woodward Friday

Woodward, Okla., Apr. 15 (F-8) — Receipts 2,500. Feeder steers and heifers under 500 lbs. 3.00-4.00 higher; steers over 500 lbs. steady; heifers over 500 lbs. 1.00 higher; slaughter cows 3.00 lower, bulls steady. Feeder Steers: Medium frame No. 1 300-400 lbs. 73.00-88.00; 400-500 lbs. 76.00-84.00; 500-600 lbs. 73.25-79.50; 600-700 lbs. 68.00-70.00; 700-800 lbs. 67.50-70.00. Heifers: Medium frame No. 1 300-400 lbs. 67.25-74.50; 400-500 lbs. 66.50-74.00; 500-600 lbs. 62.50-66.00; 600-700 lbs. 60.25-64.50.

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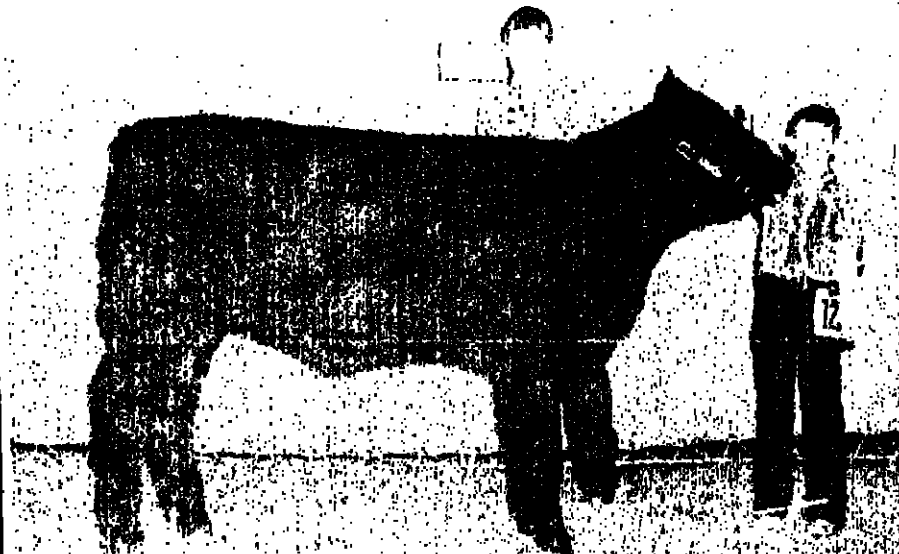
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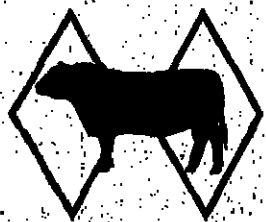
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Lone Star Beefmaster Sale at Sulphur Springs Set May 7

Sulphur Springs, TX — The Lone Star Beefmaster Breeders Association Sale will be held Saturday, May 7, 1983. Sale time is 10:30 a.m. at the Regional Livestock Center at Sulphur Springs, Texas.

Selling will be 100 lots of Beefmaster cattle including 200 bulls, all "U" classified, and 80 females. Sale headquarters will be the Trail Dust Inn at Sulphur Springs, 214/885-7615. A pre-sale party is set for May 6, 1983 at 8:00 p.m. at the Regional Livestock Center. Gerald Bowie will be the Auctioneer. For information contact Lee Roy Jordan, President, Lone Star Beefmaster Breeders Association, 9910 Harry Hines, Dallas, Texas 75220, 214/887-7317, or the sale manager, Thompson Cattle Marketing, Inc., 8603 Crowhill, Suite 22, San Antonio, TX 78209, 512/826-1680.

Governor Mark White Signs Wildlife Conservation Act

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locally specialized wildlife laws previously in effect in 116 Texas counties. The bill was sponsored by Rep. Fred Agnich, R-Dallas, and Sen. Ted Lyon, D-Rockwall. Cox expressed the appreciation of the tens of thousands of sportsmen and conservationists who supported the efforts of Texas Wildlife Conservation. The group, whose members include the more than 800 sportsmen's clubs in Texas, was formed to promote passage of the Wildlife Conservation Act.

"The Texas Wildlife Conservation Act will at last enable the Parks and Wildlife Department to manage our wildlife resources on a scientific basis statewide," Cox said. "It is the most far reaching wildlife conservation legislation ever passed in the state," he added. Cox explained that prior to enactment of the new law, locally specialized laws were in effect in 116 counties. Some of these laws were first passed in 1926 and were not responsive to today's wildlife management needs. In 30 other counties, commissioners courts had authority to veto wildlife regulations developed by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department. In 78 other counties, Cox said, the Parks and Wildlife Department had only partial authority to manage wildlife. "The Wildlife Conservation Act puts wildlife management in the hands of professionals and eliminates the outdated laws that regulated wildlife in large parts of our state," Cox said. "The act will extend to every county the extraordinary success record of the Parks and Wildlife Department."

Feedlot Trade Very Slow, Prices Easier

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by choice 2-3, 70-80% choice 1000-1075 lb. 72.50. Mixed good and choice 2-3 1000-1100 lb. 71.50-72.00. Heifers 3,700: Good and mostly choice 2-3 900-950 lb. 69.00-69.50. Mixed good and choice 2-3 875-950 lb. 68.00-69.00. Load good, few choice 2-3 750-825 lb. 65.00. Pen good and choice 2-4 1050 lb. heiferettes 64.00.

Omaha, Apr. 18 (USDA) — Nebraska feeder sales 1,700. Only small numbers reported sold at Nebraska feedlots through mid-afternoon Monday. Prices 50-100 lower; feedlot operators resulting lower prices. Scattering good to mostly choice 2-4 1050-1175 lb. steers 68.00-70.00 FOB. Few loads good and choice 2-4 900-1000 lb. heifers 67.00-68.00. Little else done at the feedlots. Many trade members awaiting C-O-F report. No in-the-beef sales of consequence reported.

Dodge City, Apr. 18 (USDA) — Western Kansas feedlot trade very slow. Hardly enough slaughter steer or heifer sales confirmed for a market test. Few sales steady. Sales confirmed on 1,000 slaughter steers and 900 slaughter heifers Monday. For the week to date 2,700 head confirmed. Steers: Few choice with end good 2-3 1075-1175 lb. 70.50-72.00. Heifers: Few choice 2-3 975 lb. 68.50.

few 885-945 lbs. 69.00-69.25; few choice with end good 975 lbs. 67.00-67.40.

Fed Cattle, Butcher Hogs Sold Lower in Trading Monday

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good to choice Holstein steers and the U.S. 1-3 hogs scaling 200 to 270 or 280 pounds included:

OMAHA fed cattle steady to 60c lower. Steers \$67 to \$71 and \$67 to \$69. Choice Holsteins at \$60 to \$62. Heifers \$65.50 to \$68 and \$63.50 to \$65.50. Hogs \$1 to \$1.50 lower at \$46 to \$47.75. SIOUX CITY cattle buyers were selective and steers producing carcasses of 700-800 lbs. and heifers with carcasses of 600-800 lbs., ruled steady, others were 60c to \$1 lower. Steers \$68.50 to \$71.50 and \$67 to \$68.50, numerous lots going to feeders in the \$67 to \$68 range. Holsteins \$68 to \$69.50. Hogs 50-75c lower at \$46 to \$47.50. ST. PAUL fed steers 50c to \$1 off and heifers 50c lower. Holstein steers 50c to

\$1 lower. Steers \$68.50 to \$69.25 and \$65 to \$67. Holsteins \$68 to \$61. Heifers \$64.50 to \$66 and \$62 to \$64.50. Hogs 50c to \$1 lower at \$45.50 to \$46.50. SIOUX FALLS fed cattle 50c lower, some steers \$1 off. Steers \$65.50 to \$71 and \$66.50 to \$67.50. Holsteins \$69 to \$62. Heifers \$64.50 to \$67 and \$62.50 to \$64.50. Hogs 75c to \$1 lower at \$45 to \$47.25. JOLIET steers steady to 60c lower and heifers steady to weak. Steers \$68 to \$70 and \$66.50 to \$68. Heifers \$65.50 to \$68 and \$64 to \$65.50. Hogs 60-75c lower at \$45 to \$47.25. PEORIA steers 50c to \$1 lower and heifers 50c off, spots off \$1. Steers \$68 to \$69 and \$66 to \$68. Holsteins \$68. Heifers \$65 to \$67.50 and \$63 to \$65. Hogs \$1 lower at \$45 to \$47.75. ST. LOUIS compared to last Tuesday steers closed 60c to \$1 lower and heifers were 50c to \$1 higher, late sales 50c up. Steers \$66 to \$69.50 and \$65 to \$67. Standard to good Holsteins \$54 to \$60. Heifers \$63.50 to \$66 and \$62 to \$64. Hogs 50c to \$1 lower at \$46 to \$47.25. ST. JOSEPH fed cattle opened steady to 50c higher and closed 50c lower. Steers \$66 to \$70 and \$65.75 to \$68.50. Heifers \$63 to \$66.85 and \$61 to \$65. Hogs 75c to \$1 lower at \$46.50 to \$47 on weights of 200-250 lbs.

Carlot Beef Opens Mostly \$2.00 Lower, Pork Sags Again

(CONT. FROM PAGE 1A)

lbs. 100.00, 4 good 2-3 600-900 lbs. 108.00, 2.00 lower. 4 choice 2-3 600-900 lbs. 100.00 Holstein type, 2.00 lower. FOB Amarillo Basis: 2 good 2-3 600-900 lbs. 107.00.

Heifer carcasses — 82 1/2 loads including 12 1/2 to processors, 20 to packers. FOB Omaha Basis: 11 choice 3 550-700 lbs. 108.00, 2.00 lower. 4 choice 3 500-550 lbs. 102.00, steady. 1.00 low. 4 choice 3 400-500 lbs. 100.00, 3 good 2-3 600-900 lbs. 104.00, 2.00 lower. FOB Amarillo Basis: 8 choice 3 550-700 lbs. 107.00. 2 good 2-3 550-700 lbs. 105.00.

Des Moines, Apr. 18 (F-8) — Central U.S. Carlot Pork Report - F.O.B. Omaha Basis (includes the major production areas in the Midwest) as of 4:00 p.m. Compared to Friday's 4:00 p.m. report: loins steady to \$2.00 lower. Boston butts steady to \$4.00 lower. Hams \$1.00 lower. Bellies 12-18 lbs. \$7.00 lower

than last Thursday. Other weights \$2.00-4.00 lower. Boneless picnic \$1.00-1.50 lower. Trading slow to moderate. Demand light for heavy loins and 9 loads of trimmings.

The Best Of The Breed Charolais Sale Set May 21

Azle, Tx.—The Best of the Breed Charolais Sale will be held Saturday, May 21, 1983. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. at Woody's WNW Ranch at Azle, Texas 15 miles northeast of Fort Worth.

Selling will be 90 quality Charolais including full French, fullbloods, polled and purebreds. The offering is made up of 10 top herd sires and 80 very select females.

Sale headquarters will be Kahler's West Branch, Div. of Green Oaks Inn, 817/244-7444 in Fort Worth.

Auctioneer will be George Morse. For information contact the sale management, Jernigan's Charolais Sales Management, Rt. 3, Box 1285, Tyler, Texas 75705, 214/566-2171.



LONE STAR BEEFMASTER BREEDERS ASSOCIATION SALE



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Sale Headquarters:
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(214)885-7515

Auctioneer:
Gerald Bowie

Pre-Sale Party:
Friday, May 6, 1983
8:00 p.m.

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McKellar Ranch Spring Sale Set For May 7

Mt. Pleasant, Texas-The McKellar Ranch Annual Spring Red Brahman Production Sale will be held May 7, 1983. Lunch will be at 11:00 a.m. with the sale at 12:00 noon at the ranch at Mt. Pleasant, Texas.

Selling will be 26 bred donor heifers, 6 bred donor cows, 20 fancy bred heifers and 5 pairs, some 3-in-1's. All are bred to 757 or Jumbo.

In conjunction with the sale will be the McKellar Ranch Symposium to be held Friday, May 6, 1983 at the ranch. Registration will begin at 9:00 a.m. Topics to be discussed are Herdsire Selection, Female Selection, Herd Sire Judging and Evaluation, and Selecting of Show Cattle.

For information contact McKellar Ranch, Lee McKellar, Owner, Rt. 5, Mt. Pleasant, Texas 75455, office 214/572-9182, Res. 214/572-2200, Lockie Gary, Manager.

Running G Quarter Horses Sell May 7

Ken Grantham's Running G Quarter Horse Ranch will hold a production sale, May 7 at the ranch near Plano, TX. Selling will be futurity prospects, broodmares, three-in-one packages, cutting prospects, and western pleasure prospects.

One hundred thirty-five horses will be sold with such popular pedigrees as: Beaver Creek, Blondy's Dude, Coy's Bonanza, Croton Oil, Dinky Reed, Goodbye Sam, Joak, Joe Bailey, King, Leo, Oteo, Parker's Trouble, Silver King, and Cutter Bill.

Other famous sires represented are: Peppy, Poco Bueno, Skipper's King, Skipper W, Speedy Glow, Sugar Bars, The Investor, Three Bars, Triple's Image, Windchester, Zippo Pat Bars, He's a Honey, Tonto Bars Gill, and K Hornet.

For more information contact: Ken Grantham, 214/987-0912 or 214/423-2898.

Commodities Comment

Week Ending April 14, 1983

I have been talking about April being a pivotal month for all futures markets and it sure seems likely. This week's feature was unique. Sharply higher interest rate markets, metal markets, and stock markets contrasted with lower agricultural markets. This could be indicative of a major shift in market sentiment. If inflation is indeed dead then sharply lower interest rates are near, and this in turn, will continue to fuel the "bull" stock market. Paul Volcker, Chairman of the Fed, has consistently stated that lower rates are on the way. And he knows for sure. Right?

The grains have been totally dominated by the "bulls" for some time now. There is very little negative news around to depress prices. Everyone knows that acreage has been reduced due to the PLR program. Everyone also knows that the mid-west has had so much rain that you need a boat to get to work. Everyone also knows that crop problems of any sort this year will give us "bull markets" in grains. Therefore prices should work higher right? Well...maybe. I've been dragging my

feet on the dry side of grains and I continue to be that way for awhile. At current price levels I'm bullish on new crop beans and soybean meal but that's about it. I can see Chicago July wheat working down to the \$3.00 to \$3.20 level by summer and corn prices off 50 cents from current levels by fall. This is assuming no crop problems occur between now and summer. At this writing July hedges closed at \$6.45, July wheat \$3.82 and July corn \$3.18.

The Mercantile Exchange is at a crossroad for livestock prices. I have been very "bullish" on cattle prices since last winter. During that time June cattle have rallied from \$58 to \$71 and feeders from \$63.00 to \$70.00. I now urge caution to all you "bulls" out there. Near-term (2-6 months) prices appear headed lower. Feeder cattle should drop to the \$44 range by late spring and there's an outside chance that they will hit \$40. The fat cattle should "top out" between \$71 and \$75 based the June option, then break about \$10 from their high. I would prefer to be a seller of cattle over the near-term. Long term, (late 1984), the cattle are still going to \$90 to \$100. Hogs and pork bellies are a train wreck. There is a strong seasonal for

Association Sale At Henderson, May 7

Henderson, Tx.-The East Texas Simmental Association Sale will be held Saturday, May 7, 1983. The sale will be at 1:00 p.m. at the Rusk County Airport Fairgrounds on FM 13 west of Henderson, Texas. Lunch will be available.

Selling will be 80 lots of quality Simmental and Simbrah cattle including 75 females and 5 bulls. The offering is made up of fullbloods, Purebreds, 3/4's and Simbrah.

This is a Texas Simmental Association Approved Sale. Joe Mitcham will be the auctioneer.

For information contact Hank Longcrier 214/869-9414, Gene Grisham 214/867-5022 or 667-9513 office, Larry Pipes 214/864-2119 or Patlie Hackenack 214/858-0351 or 387-3911 home.

Feeders Sold Lower, Hogs Sagged \$1-\$2 At Fort Worth

Fort Worth, Apr. 18 (F.S.) — Receipts 1,000. Feeder steers and steer calves 3,000-4,000 lbs.; feeder heifers and heifer calves 1,000-2,000 lbs.; slaughter cows and bulls 1,000-2,000 lbs.; stock cows and cow calf pairs steady. Demand moderate. Trading fairly active however buyers very selective. Run includes around 200 head stock cows and cow calf pairs.

Feeder steers: medium frame no. 1: 300-400 lbs. 70.00-74.00, 400-500 lbs. 67.50-72.00, 500-650 lbs. 62.00-68.00. Large frame no. 1: 400-500 lbs. 65.00-70.00, 500-700 lbs. 64.00-68.00. Large frame no. 2: 400-500 lbs. 67.80-64.00, Small frame no. 1-2: 300-400 lbs. 64.00-68.00. Heifers: medium frame no. 1: 300-400 lbs. 60.00-65.00, 400-500 lbs. 58.00-63.00. Large frame no. 1: 400-500 lbs. 60.00-65.00, one this lot 66.00, 500-700 lbs. 57.50-61.50. Large frame no. 2: 400-500 lbs. 54.00-59.00. Slaughter bulls: yield grade 4: 1000-1275 lbs. low dressing percentage 46.25-48.25; yield grade 1-2 1200-1700 lbs. 60.00-64.50. Slaughter cows: utility 2-3 40.00-44.00, cutter 38.10-41.25. Stock cows: 3-5 year olds 47.50-51.50. Cow calf pairs: 3-10 year olds 48.00-53.00 pair.

Hogs 400: barrows and gilts 1.00-2.00 lower; sows 1.00 lower. US 1-3 200-250 lbs. 44.50-46.50, US 2-3 220-275 lbs. 43.50-44.50. Sows: US 1-3 300-400 lbs. 42.00 only. Boars: all weights 35.00.

higher prices into summer and that seasonal upmove is close at hand. At this writing June cattle closed at \$70.10, May feeders \$67.42, July hogs \$61.77, and July bellies \$71.55.

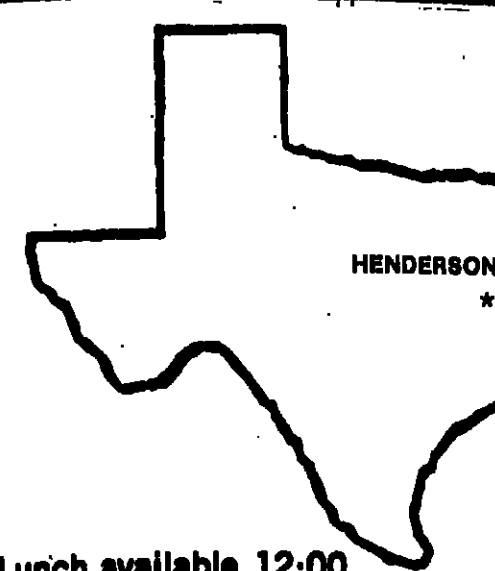
The metals have all moved higher this week. I suggested purchases of palladium and platinum at lower levels and these trades worked out fine. Metals have now reached levels where I would urge caution. I don't wish to be a buyer of any metals at current levels. Silver and gold could still be in a liquidating phase and I'd just as soon stand aside at this time. Trading here continues erratic and lackluster. Which Way From Here??

I have been dragging my feet on being a "bull" on anything and so far I'm only partially correct. Grains and livestock are in the midst of a sharp break but the Dow metals and interest rates have worked substantially higher. April has the earmarks of a pivotal month. I feel that many markets will hit their peak this month before a sharp slide ensues. I'll stick by that forecast. I don't want to be a "bull" in any market for the next several weeks. I like the short side of most everything for the near-term.

If you would like further information on speculation or hedging please call Jerry F. Welch at 814-721-9200, Prudential-Bache Securities, 231 St. Remison, Suite 1400, St. Louis, MO 63106.

Sioux Falls Feeders

Sioux Falls, Apr. 18 (USDA) — Semi-weekly Feeder Cattle Auction Receipts 8,200. Feeder steers 800-700 lbs. steady to 1.00 lower, 750-1100 lbs. steady to firm, feeder heifers steady, Instapack 1.00 lower on 500-600 lbs. Feeder steers: medium frame 1, some large in eluded; 400-500 lbs. scarce; two lots



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9:00 AM Registration

9:00 - 12:00 Noon Herdsire Selection

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12:00 Noon Lunch

1:30 PM Female Selection

Dr. Bill Turner - LSU

2:30 PM Herd Sire Judging & Evaluation

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Premier Santa Gertrudis Sale **Set for May 16**

Waxahachie, TX - The 31st Premier Santa Gertrudis Association Spring

Sale will be held Monday, May 16, 1983. The sale will begin at 12:00 noon at the Waxahachie Livestock Commission Co. in Waxahachie, Texas. Selling will be pens of 8 open Santa Gertrudis heifers, January 1982 or younger.

Sale headquarters will be the Brookside Inn, Waxahachie, TX, 817/937-8223. Auctioneer will be Bill Jordan. For more information or catalogs contact Bill Amis, Box 800, Lindale, Texas 75771 or Sale Chairman, Bob Patton, 817/435-2615.

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Nine Bar 1482, owned by Nine Bar Ranch, Hempstead, TX, was the champion Santa Gertrudis bull of the Rio Grande Valley Livestock Show.

Miss Pico 1/7, owned by Chaparral Ranch, LaPrere, TX, was the champion Santa Gertrudis female of the Rio Grande Valley Livestock Show and the Victoria Livestock Show.

Llano River Cattle Co., Alief, TX, had the champion Santa Gertrudis bull of the Gulf Coast All Breeds Bull Sale, March 26 in Sealy, TX. John Joyce (right) sale manager presented the award to Randy Leifeste of Llano River.

Victoria Livestock Show

El Colina Santa Gertrudis Sale
Set For June 10

Walnut Springs-The El Colina Ranches Santa Gertrudis Sale will be held Friday, June 10, 1983. The sale will be held at the ranch at Walnut Springs, Texas. Selling will be 90 head including a top selection of young herd sire prospects Bosque 70/6; Pairs and three-in-one packages as well as bred and open Santa Gertrudis breed will be represented. For information contact Vernon and James Smith's El Colina Ranches, Walnut Springs, Texas, Kenneth Ellis, General Manager, 817/797-8431.

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Sale headquarters will be the Holiday Inn in Brenham, Texas 713/830-1110. For information and catalogs contact the sales management, Superior Sales, Buddy Smith, Huntville, Texas 713/291-1891.

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AUCTIONEER
BILL JORDAN
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For More Information or Catalogs Contact:
Bill Amis, P.O. Box 800, Lindale, Texas 75771

Miss Pico Tori, owned by Clay Theek, Brenham, TX, was the reserve champion Santa Gertrudis female of the Victoria Livestock Show Junior Division.

Victoria Livestock Show

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First Western Heritage \$100,000 Futurity, October 8

The first ever Western Heritage Santa Gertrudis Futurity will be held in Dallas on October 8 to celebrate the opening of the Texas State Fair. With prize money totalling \$100,000 competition for the big event is sure to be strong and excitement high. The first \$50,000 will be awarded to five classes not yet a year old; Class 2 - yearlings, must have all baby teeth; Class 3 - two year olds, animals with two big teeth; Class 4 - three year olds, animals with four big teeth; Class 5 - four year olds, animals with more than four adult teeth. Note - All females with first calves at side are automatic class 5 entrants.

Another \$50,000 will be distributed among grand and reserve grand champion in each class. In addition, the 6 best animals from the futurity (to be decided by the WHS Bovine Board) will be eligible to be sold at the 1984 Western Heritage Sale.

Anyone who currently owns a first generation offspring of a WHS consignee from 1979 to 1983 including offspring of artificial insemination or embryo transplant is eligible for the futurity. Response is already overwhelming; the entry fee is \$500 by July 1 and \$750 after that date.

Information on the futurity is available by contacting coordinating sponsor Joe Marchman, 1418 Avenue K, Plano, TX 75074, telephone 214/484-6605 or Bill & Kay Barrett, Route 1, Valley Mills, TX 76688, telephone, 817/882-6182.

Mayfair Ranch Bluebonnet F-1 Sale Set April 23

Brenham, TX. - The Mayfair Ranch Bluebonnet F-1 Sale will be held April 23, 1983. Sale time is 12:30 p.m. at the Brenham Livestock Commission Co. at Brenham, Texas.

Selling will be 850 Cowmans Choice Quality Replacement Females including 60 Angus x Brahman F-1, 100 Hereford x Brahman F-1, and 200 Santa Gertrudis x Brahman F-1. The Angus and Hereford are bred or will have calves at side. The Santa Gertrudis are open and ready to breed.

For information contact George Butler, Owner or Jim Theek, Manager, Mayfair Ranch, Rt. 2, Box 348, Brenham, Texas 77833, 713/836-8922; or Britten & Britten, Sale Managers and Auctioneers, Drawer B, Bryan, Texas 77802, 713/822-4335 or 622-6091.

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11:30 AM - Lunch available
1:00 PM - Production Sale

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Razorback Century Plus Santa Gertrudis Sale Set For June 4

Searcy, Ark. - The Razorback Century Plus Santa Gertrudis Sale will be held Saturday, June 4, 1983. Sale time is 11:00 a.m. at the Porter Rodgers Farms in Searcy, Arkansas.

The sale will represent over 100 years of combined Santa Gertrudis Breeding. Cattle will be presented from the herds of L&L Farms at Decatur, Arkansas; Reeves Triple Seven Ranch at Nashville, Arkansas; Porter Rodgers Farms at Searcy, Arkansas and Winrock Farms, Inc. of Morrilton, Arkansas.

Sale headquarters will be the Kings Inn, Searcy, Arkansas, 501-288-8171. A sale party is set for Friday evening, June 3 at the Rodgers Home in Searcy, Arkansas.

For information contact the sale management, Superior Sales, Buddy Smith, Rt. 2, Box 174, Huntaville, Texas 77340, 713/291-1891 or 295-4401.

Double Circle Santa Gertrudis Sale, Sept. 23

Richard Hood, owner of Double Circle Ranch at Franklin, TX, has announced plans for a Santa Gertrudis Production Sale September 23, 1983. The sale will be held at the Fort City Stock Yards in Brenham, Texas.

This location and date were selected because of the Washington County Fair being held at that time. Judging of open Santa Gertrudis Cattle will start at 8:00 AM in Brenham on Friday, September 23 followed by the sale at 1:00 PM. The Junior Santa Gertrudis Show will be Saturday September 24th.

Selling in the sale will be approximately 100 head of quality Santa Gertrudis with the main portion being 3-in-1's. The majority of the calves will be by Mayfair 59. The remainder of the calves will be sired by Double Circle Ranch 500 and Fullan Farms 100. Double Circle Ranch 500 is the sire of "Hoss" 800, owned jointly with Diamond 8 Ranch of Achille, Oklahoma.

Fullan Farms 100 is an own son of Cogrove 10. There will be three proven herd sires in the offering: Mayfair 59, Fullan Farms 100 and Double Circle Ranch 900 a son of Mayfair 59.

Haywire Cattle Company of Cibola, Texas will be a guest consignee. They will be selling approximately 90 cows with calves at side by a Cogrove 85 bred bull. Several of these cows will be daughters of "Freight Train".

Double Circle Ranch is one of the early breeders of Santa Gertrudis in Central Texas with a herd number of 646. Their cattle are noted for their fertility and ability to hold their flesh under pasture conditions. One of the most prepotent bulls of the Santa Gertrudis breed "Hoss" 800 was produced by Double Circle Ranch.

As a bonus to the sale, the volume buyer will receive 10 units of semen from "Hoss" 800.

Auctioneer will be Gerald Bowie. For more information contact the Sales Manager, Buddy Smith, Superior Sales, Rt. 2, Box 174, Huntaville, TX 77340. Phones: 409/291-1891 or 295-4401.



Elberta, owned by Kimberly Luchert, Brenham, TX, was the reserve champion Santa Gertrudis female of the Houston Livestock Show Junior Division.

"Compadre" Santa Gertrudis Sale Set For May 17

West, Texas - The Central Texas "Compadre" Santa Gertrudis Sale will be held Tuesday, May 17, 1983. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. at the West Livestock Auction at West, Texas, 16 miles North of Waco, Texas on I-35. Selling will be 80 lots of proven pro-



Miss Double TT 74, owned by Chris Tallaferra, Scurry, TX, was the champion Santa Gertrudis female of the Houston Livestock Show Junior Division.

ducers including 85 females, 2 proven herd sires, 4 herd sire prospects and 2 yearling bulls.

Auctioneer will be Charles Rollins. Guest Consignor is Flying B Ranch of Clifton, Texas. For information contact the Sales Management, Sales Management Service-The Bill Company, Box 411, Valley Mills, Texas 76689, 817/932-6261 or Hodge Properties, Calvin Hodge, 214/946-9828; or Campbell Ranch, Gene & Loyce Campbell, 214/435-3056.

1982 Leading Sires Announced by AQHA

In what was nearly a perfect repeat performance of 1981 leading sire standings, Two Eyed Jack and Easy Jet claimed a vast majority of first place honors in 1982 American Quarter Horse Association performance and racing categories, respectively.

Two Eyed Jack swept leading sire honors for performance horses. The 1981 sorrel stallion, owned by Howard Pitzer of Erickson, Nebraska, was the 1982 leading sire of point-earning performance horses and 1982 leading sire of performance contest winners.

Leading sire of 1982 performance Register of Merit qualifiers honors also went to Two Eyed Jack, which had 11 qualifiers, tying The Investor, a 1980 sorrel stallion owned by Jack Benson of Brenham, Texas. Two Eyed Jack also won top honors as the leading sire of AQHA Champions, with 107, and all-time Register of Merit qualifiers, siring 280.

Impressive, a 1980 sorrel stallion cared for by Paul French, Trustee of Longview, Texas made a very similar claim to halter sire categories for 1982. The stallion was the leading sire of 1982 halter class winners, and was named leading sire of 1982 halter point earners.

Racing statistics featured another near repeat of 1981 standings, as Easy Jet, owned by the Roswell, New Mexico-headquartered Easy Jet Syndicate made it look easy, taking every year-end honor except leading sire of 1982 money earners.

Dash For Cash spoiled Easy Jet's chances for a clean sweep, as 96 of the 1973 sorrel stallion's get crossed the finished line to win \$2,274,008 in purse winnings - more than \$800,000 above the third-placed Easy Jet. The Dash For Cash Syndicate of Frisco, Texas owns the stallion.

National Sheep, Lamb Summary

San Angelo, Apr. 18 (F-S) - National Sheep Summary for Monday. Slaughter lambs steady to .50 higher at Mid-West Market Centers. Slaughter ewes and feeder lambs steady. In Northern Virginia area slaughter lambs steady to .25 lower.

Slaughter lambs in Mid-West choice and prime 95-125 lb. with no. 1-3 pelts 68.00-81.50; woolled 66.00-68.25. In Virginia high-choice and prime 95-125 lb. woolled 69.00; spring 70.00.

Slaughter ewes in Mid-West utility and good 6.00-15.00. Cull 5.00-8.00; except 12.25-14.00 in Su Falls. Feeder lambs choice and prime 60-100 lb. 54.00-58.00.

Sheep and lamb slaughter under federal inspection for today totaled 28,000 compared with 24,000 for same period last week and 25,000 for same day last year.

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Greely, Apr. 15 (F-S) - Slaughter steers on a live basis closed .50-1.00 higher. Heifers mostly 1.50 higher; steers on a carcass basis 3.00-4.00 higher. Heifers 1.00-2.00 higher. Trading rather slow throughout, mainly because of the continued shortage of supplies. Some expended activity on feeder classes noted, mainly on cattle coming into Colorado from other areas; prices strong. Steers 4.00. Choice 2-4 11.00-12.25 lbs. 71.00-72.75 FOB; few 71.00 delivered in-state and 73.00 delivered out of state; few good to mostly choice 70.50 delivered in-state; few loads good to mostly choice 2-3 Holsteins 1100-1225 lbs. 64.00-65.00 FOB. Carcass basis - hot weights - choice 1100-1200 lbs. 111.00-116.00 in-state load good to mostly choice 2-3 Holsteins 107.00; one set choice beefsteaks 118.00 out of state, May delivery.

Slaughter heifers - confirmed 7.450. Choice 2-4 975-1050 lbs. 66.75-70.00 FOB; few 69.25-69.75 delivered; load good to mostly choice 950 lbs. 68.00 FOB; another load 68.75 delivered. Carcass basis - hot weights - choice 1000-1085 lbs. 109.00-110.00 in-state; one set 112.00 out of state, May delivery.

Feeder cattle 5.200. Medium, some large frame 1 - several sets heifers 475-700 lbs. 65.00-65.50 FOB and delivered within Colorado, one set 625 lbs. 70.50 for breeding; all three percent shrink or the equivalent. Laid in from out of state - few loads steers 580 lbs. 75.50; few heifers around 530 lbs. 66.50. Few sets steers 750-800 lbs. 68.00-70.00, heifers 650-700 lbs. 68.25-64.00, May and June delivery, also laid in.

Wool & Mohair

Denver, Apr. 14 (USDA) - Shearing and movement of domestic wool moderately active at the producer level with considerable volume on consignment to warehouses. Mill demand narrow and some grades extremely difficult to move. Prices steady to weak. Snow in the mountain states and rain in California delayed shearing but progress still ahead of normal in the Midwest.

In California near 200,000 pounds 62/64s sold from 70-75 cents grease FOB. In Idaho the Caribou/Bear lake pool of 6,800 fleeces bulk 60/62s sold at 55.25 cents. In Utah several clips totaling near 200,000 pounds 58s and 60s 58-62 cents grease FOB, the spring city pool of 7,500 fleeces 60/62s sold at \$1.3803 clean delivered basis. In Wyoming the star valley pool of 7,500 fleeces 64/66s sold at 60.06 cents, approximately 80,000 pounds of 62s sold at 80 cents, 80,000 pounds of 60s at 80 cents, and 25,000 pounds of 62s feedlot lamb wool at 58 cents grease FOB. In Montana the eastern Montana pool of 3,500 fleeces sold at \$4.15 cents for mixed 54s to 60s with a 5.5-6 discount and the Madison/Jefferson pool of 6,000 fleeces sold at 61.55 cents on whiteface and 52.25 cents on blackface with a 5.5-10 discount.

In Texas near 100,000 pounds confirmed in small lots with 64s and 64/70s staple 12 months relatively high yielding \$3.90-1.10, with few choice over 3" staple.



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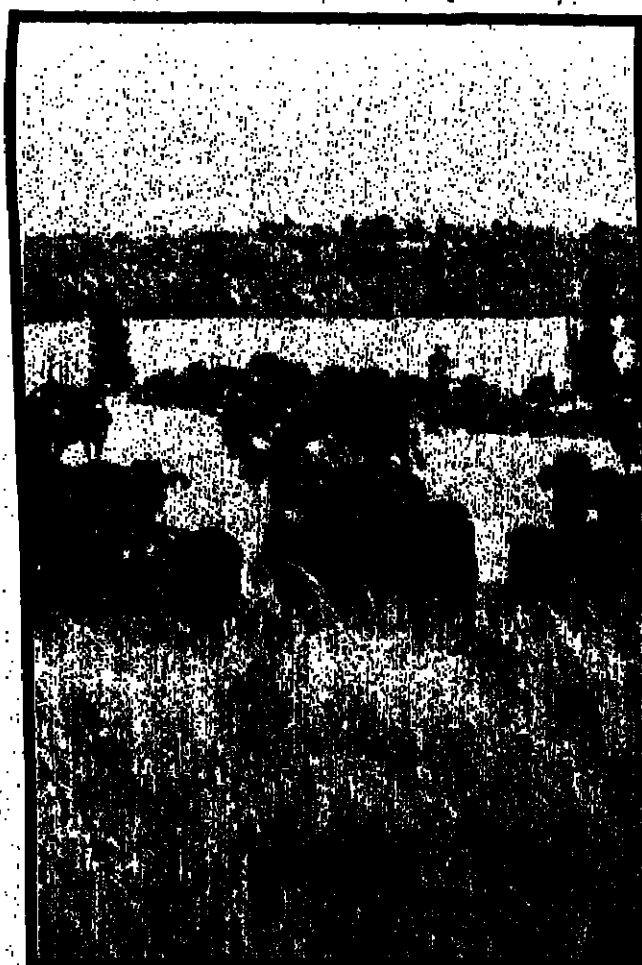
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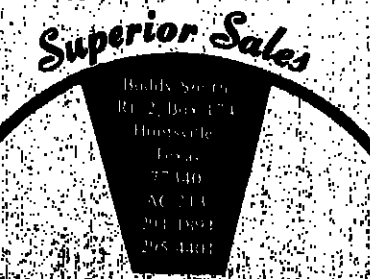
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to \$1.20 grease FOB warehouse, eight months wool 75-80 cents. Australian auctions remained closed for Easter holiday. In South Africa prices steady to weak, in New Zealand prices mostly 5 cents higher. Trading on Texas mohair limited with near 35,000 pounds graded fine adult \$3.35-3.95 grease FOB warehouse.

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Brangus News

by Trey Kirkpatrick - Executive Secretary
Brangus Task

Spring is finally here, and so are the sales. We hope you will attend as many of these as possible. Below is a listing of upcoming Brangus sales.

April 23 - "Heart of the Bluebonnet, Brangus Female Sale" Holiday Inn Branham, TX.
April 30 - Sjolander Commercial Female Sale, Livestock Performance Center, San Antonio, TX.

April 30 - Spring Spectacular Sale, Abilene Auction Inc., Abilene, TX.

May 7 - Brazos Valley Production Sale, Simonton, TX.
May 13 - Sjolander Production Sale, Riesel, TX.

May 14 - Heart of Texas Production Sale, Cameron, TX.
May 21 - Moon Lake Production Sale, Rosharon, TX.

These sales will offer the registered and commercial cattlemen a good selection of workable females and bulls that will fit into any size operation. Come on out and see the functional aspects of the Brangus Breed.

We at the TBBA are very excited about the addition of Sandra Lye to our staff. Sandra will be in charge of the new "Texas Brangus" Magazine. If you have any questions about the advertising or content you can now visit with a professional.

Please contact our office if you have any questions. 409-848-9738.



Robert Vineyard (left) of Wharton, and Tiny Harris of New Ulm, joined in the purchase of the top selling pair at \$30,000 in the Circle Bar Brangus Sale, April 16 in New Orleans.



Pat Taylor welcomes the crowd to his Circle Bar Brangus Sale, April 16, in New Orleans.

Circle Bar Brangus Average \$8567

Pat and Phyllis Taylor along with ranch manager, Jerry Hemphill of Circle Bar Ranch held their Magnolia Classic Sale at the Fair Grounds Racetrack April 16 in New Orleans, LA. Twenty-three bred females averaged \$7078, ten donor cows \$8160, four open heifers \$9550, 12 pair \$11,493, and the 49 lots totaled \$419,500 to average \$8567.

Topping the sale at \$30,000 was a 1980 model "850" daughter with a Feb. 1983 bull calf at side by DMA King 680. Five breeding shares, full possession and all natural calves were sold and they went to Vineyard Cattle Co.

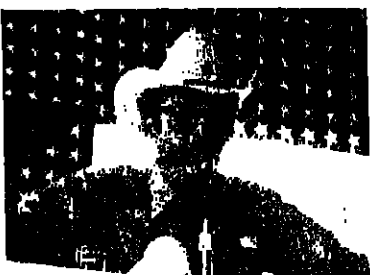
Brand's Brangus "Sale of the Stars" Posts \$6045 Average

Brand's Brangus Ranch, owned by Ludwig and Judy Brand, held their eighth annual Sale of the Stars on April 9 at the ranch near Round Top, TX. A very useful set of cattle sold exceptionally well. Three embryo donor cows

in this package, Williams Brangus of Fort Stockton, TX, was the buyer.

The "850" daughters took all the top prices with Highland Resources of Houston taking another with a Feb. 1988 "King" bull calf at side for \$25,000. Rounding out the top selling females was the 1982 Junior Futurity Champion, a Champ 800 daughter, that sold to Hidden Valley Ranch, Cooksville, TN for \$23,000.

Pierce Sales Co. was the sale manager and Ruben Reyes was the auctioneer.



Ludwig Brand welcomes a large crowd to the Brand's Brangus 8th Annual Sale of the Stars, April 9 in Round Top.

averaged \$19,388, twenty five pairs \$8866, twenty bred females \$4428, eighteen open females \$4505. A total of sixty six lots grossed \$899,000 to average \$8046.

Topping the offering was a March 1979 daughter of Pecos Lad 1/5, The George Sjolander family of Riesel gave (CONT. ON PAGE 19A)

Brazos Valley Ranch Brangus Sale at Simonton, May 7

Simonton, Tx - Brazos Valley Ranch's 4th Annual "Influence of Champions" Sale will be held Saturday, May 7, 1983. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. at the ranch at Simonton, Texas.

Selling will be 60 fancy Brangus females including 3 proven donor cows, 80 pairs including many 3-in-1's 20 bred heifers and 10 open heifers.

The sale will feature the get and service of 650, 942, 533, Titan and 718. For information contact Brazos Valley Ranch, Ervin & Judy Lehman, Owners, Drawer G, Simonton, TX 77476, 713/880-8448 or 823-8388, Frank Hughes, Manager 712/846-1478 or James Daniel, Bastrop Manager 512/521-6522; or the sale management, Pierce Sales Co., Sammy Pierce, Box 807, Bellville, TX 77418, 713/865-9104.

Big Country Brangus Spring Spectacular Sale Set April 30

Abilene, TX - The Big Country Brangus Spring Spectacular Sale will be held Saturday, April 30, 1983. Sale time is 10:30 a.m. at the Abilene Auction Inc., located on I-20 East at Abilene, Texas.



George Sjolander and daughter Lulu of Riesel, TX, bought one of the top selling lots in the Brangus Sale, April 9, in Round Top.



E.T. Adair (left) of Weatherford, and Gary Cross of Bryan, at the Brangus Sale, April 9 in Round Top. Adair was the volume buyer of the sale.

Brand's Brangus "Sale of the Stars" Posts \$6045 Average (CONT. FROM PAGE 18A)

\$30,000 for one half interest and one half possession in this outstanding embryo donor cow.

An outstanding open heifer, a daughter of PW Oscar 2707 "Giant" brought \$20,000 going to Adair's Flying A Ranch of Weatherford. Regal Land & Cattle Co., Dadeville, MO paid \$18,500 to own a one half interest in a Levi daughter for embryo transplant. Whitehall Plantation of Gena, LA gave \$15,000 for a May 1977 Rocky Joe bred cow that had an October 1982 heifer calf at side sired by High Cloud, Diamond A Land and Cattle Co., Roswell, NM gave \$15,000 for a half interest and half possession in an embryo donor cow sired by BBR Gabriella 178 with a bull calf at side sired by PW Yuval Duke 707.

The volume buyer of the sale was Adair's Flying A Ranch. There were thirty seven buyers representing Arizona, Louisiana, Missouri, New Mexico and Texas.

Sale was managed by Pierce Sales Co., Bellville. Auctioneer Gerald Bowie of West Point, GA.

1983 National Junior Brangus Heifer Show

Make plans now to attend the National Junior Brangus Heifer Show in Shawnee, Oklahoma, at the Heart of Oklahoma Exposition Center, July 10-13, 1983.

The Oklahoma, Indian Nations and Western Oklahoma Brangus Breeders Associations are sponsoring the event in cooperation with the International Brangus Breeders Association.

Various contests, educational seminars and social functions have been scheduled for the three-day event. Among the contests will be a speech contest, a poster contest and a judging contest. Educational activities will include a seminar and a fitting demonstration conducted by qualified people. Swimming, cookouts and a banquet and dance sponsored by the International Junior Brangus Breeders Association (IJBBA), will be among the social events scheduled for the week.

The heifer show will be judged by Ed Baranowski, Simonton, Texas. The judging will begin promptly at 8:00 a.m. July 12, 1983, followed by the showmanship contest in which the winners will receive trophy buckles.

Entrants must be members of IJBBA. Entry fees for the show are \$15.00 per stall space and deadline for entry is June 1, 1983. Headquarters for the event will be the Cinderella Motor Hotel, Shawnee, Oklahoma, phone 405/278-7010.

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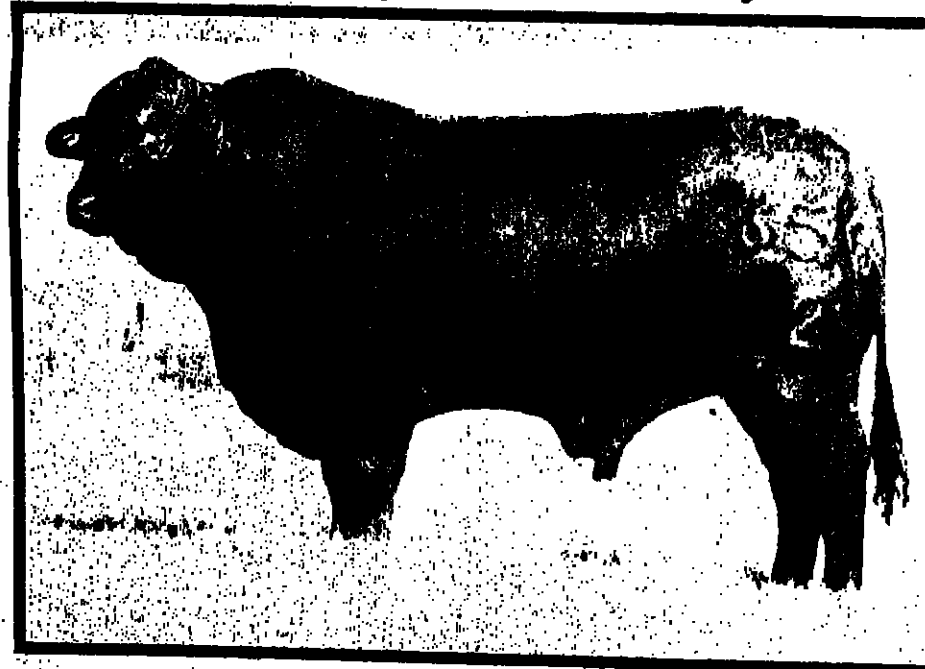
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8:00 A.M. - Viewing Sale Cattle

11:30 A.M. - Lunch

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April 15 to 16

Sjolander Ranches Set Registered Brangus Sale for May 13

Waco, Texas — Sjolander Ranches has set a Registered Brangus Production Sale for May 13, 1983 at the Sjolander Ranches, Riverbend Division

near Waco, Texas. Selling will be 70 head of registered Brangus cattle. The offering will represent the top bloodlines in the Brangus breed and includes proven Brangus females. For information contact Sjolander Ranches, George Sjolander, Rt. 2, Box 440, Russell, Texas 76882, 817/896-7823.



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1983 National Junior Brangus Heifer Show

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For further information and a complete schedule, please contact: Melvin Warner: International Brangus Breeders Association, 9500 Toga Drive, San Antonio, Texas 78230; phone 512/896-8231.



Paul Ramsey, Hidden Valley Brangus, Cookeville, TN, was a volume buyer at the Circle Bar Brangus Sale, April 16 in New Orleans.

Diamond N Ranch Sets Brangus Bull Sale At Tulsa, April 23

Tulsa, Okla.—Diamond N Ranch has announced a Brangus Bull Sale to be held Saturday, April 23, 1983. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. at the Tulsa Stockyards on I-44 East of Tulsa at 161st Ave exit.

Selling will be 100 big, stout service age Brangus bulls including a few hard sire prospects for the registered breeder.

For information contact Diamond N Ranch, Don Norton, Rt. 1, Blue Ridge, Texas 75004, 514/762-5853 or Terry Hollan, Ranch Manager, Rt. 1, Welch, Okla 73880, 918/929-7275 or Syler Sales Management, Rt. 2, Box 35, Burton, Texas 77835, 409/289-4400 or Tim Willett 409/883-0456.

Heart of Bluebonnets Brangus Female Sale at Brenham, April 23

Brenham, Tx.—The "Heart of the Bluebonnets Brangus Female Sale" will be held Saturday, April 23, 1983. Sale time is 11:00 a.m. at the sale headquarters, Holiday Inn, Brenham, Texas, 713/880-1110.

Selling will be 100 Brangus females, mostly pairs and 3-in-1 packages. The sale features the services of Successor, Extra, 942, Big Foot, Tiny, Doc, Tempo, Too Tall, Night Train, Dallas, 821, and Titan.

Consignors are Willow Springs Ranch, Sillon Ranch, Hundley's Double H Ranch, M Cinco Ranch, Harris Farms and Vineyard Cattle Co.

Auctioneer will be Roben Reyes. For information contact the sale management, Pierce Sale Company, Sammy Pierce, and Wade Pierce, Box 807, Bellville, Tx., 77418, 713/865-9104.

Star Creek Ranch Foundation Cow Dispersal, Apr. 25

Kilgore, TX — A Dispersal of the Star Creek Ranch Foundation Cow Herd will be held Monday, April 25, 1983. Sale time is 10:30 a.m. at the ranch at Kilgore, Texas.

Selling will be 322 Brangus females and three certified meat steers. The offering includes 100 pairs, 67 three-ones and 75 bred females.

Auctioneers will be Reyes and Reyes. For information contact Star Creek Ranch, Box 1061, Kilgore, Texas 75689, 814/884-0584. J. F. (Curly) Taylor, owner 814/884-0511; or the sale management, Farrington Livestock, Box 87, Bellville, TX 77418, 713/865-9104.

Heart of Texas Sets Brangus Sale For May 14

Cameron, Texas—Heart of Texas Ranch has set the Brangus "Genetic Superiority" sale for Saturday, May 14, 1983. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. at the ranch at Cameron, Texas.

Selling will be 50 lots of Brangus including 19 pairs, 14 bred, 12 opens and 3 donor cows. The sale will feature the get and service of Jack of Hearts, and Thunder and Goliath breeding.

For information contact Heart of Texas Ranch, Bill and Janice Chappelle, owners, 718/447-5100 or Jimmy Bailey, Manager, 817/897-4402, or the sale management, Sammy Pierce, Pierce Sale Company, Box 807, Bellville, Texas 77418, 713/865-9104.

Moon Lake Ranch Brangus Production Sale Set May 21

Rosharon, Tx.—The Moon Lake Ranch Brangus Production Sale will be held Saturday, May 21, 1983. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. at the ranch at Rosharon, Texas.

Selling will be 57 head of Brangus cattle featuring the get and service of DMA Champ 700. Included in the sale offering will be a herd sire prospect, 5 donor cows, 7 open heifers, 4 bred heifers, 4 recipient cows, 14 pairs, 18 bred cows and a special lot consisting of 20 females, some with calves at side.

Auctioneers will be Reyes and Reyes. For information contact R.P. Doherty, Jr., owner, Box 56027, Houston, Texas 77256, 713/829-6511 or the sale management, Pierce Sale Company, Box 807, Bellville, Texas 77418, 713/865-9104.

Black Coach Ranch Brangus Production Sale Set May 28

Castroville, Texas—Black Coach Ranch's First Brangus Production Sale will be held Saturday, May 28, 1983. Sale time is 11:00 a.m. at the Livestock Performance Center at Castroville, Texas.

Selling will be 80 fancy Brangus females including 16 three-in-one packages, 11 pairs, 19 bred and 14 opens.

For information contact Bill and Bob Nix, Owners, Phil Lehtelator, Manager, Box 640, Rogers, Texas 76569, 817/422-3271 or the sale manager, Sammy Pierce, Pierce Sale Company, Box 807, Bellville, Texas 713/865-9104.

Brinks Anniversary Brangus Sale Set At Sisterdale, June 11

Sisterdale, Tx.—The Brinks 15th Anniversary Sale, billed as "The Brangus Sale of the Decade" will be held Saturday, June 11, 1983. The Sale will be held during Brangus Days in the Hill Country.

Some of the top dams in the Brangus breed will sell including the dam of Extra of Brinks and Tremor, the dam of Miss BB Tiny 302N6, three maternal sisters of Miss BB Tiny 302N6, the dam of Eagle of Brinks 809N9 and a maternal sister of Eagle of Brinks 809N9. Many other outstanding Brangus females will sell.

Auctioneers will be Reyes and Reyes. For information contact Brinks Ranch, Box 128, Sisterdale, Texas 78068, 512/884-2311, Vera Suban, Op. Mgr. 512/884-2311 or Glenn Brinkman, Gen. Mgr. 512/896-9889, or the sale manager, Sammy Pierce, Pierce Sale Company, 713/865-9104.

Diamond C Land And Cattle, Brangus Sale Set For June 3

Dallas/Fort Worth Airport—The Diamond C Land and Cattle Co. Spring Brangus Sale will be held Friday, June 3, 1983. Sale time is 8:00 p.m. at the Holiday Inn North, Dallas/Fort Worth Airport on Highway 114, Dallas, Texas.

Selling will be 2 hard sire prospects including a son of Champ 800 and a son of Carson 385. Also selling will be 25

and a Super Donor Cow, Castro B Roxle 518. A party will be held at the Holiday Inn immediately following the Sale. Saturday, June 4, 1983 at 1:00 a.m.

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Sale headquarters will be Kahler Green Oaks Inn, 817/788-7811.

Auctioneer will be Ruben Reyes. The sale is sponsored by the Pines and Plains Brangus Breeders Association. A pre-sale party is set for May 14, 1983 at 5:00 p.m.

For information contact the sale management, Matt and Ann Syler, Rt. 2, Box 35, Burton, Texas 77835, 713/289-4400 or Tim Willett, 713/698-0466.

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International Brangus Breeders Association Director of Communications, Melanie Warner, was on hand to assist in the weekend of activities. She spoke to the juniors about the upcoming events of the International Junior Brangus Breeders Association (IJBB) and the opportunities open to IJBB members.

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Pat Taylor (left), Circle Bar Brangus, Foxworth, MS, and Glen Brinkman, Brinks Brangus, Slaterdale, TX, were buyers at the Plum Creek Brangus Sale, March 19 in Fairfield, TX.



Major buyers at the Plum Creek Brangus Sale, March 19 in Fairfield, TX, were (L to R) Jess Bryce, Potest, TX, and Jim Justice, Whitehall Plantation, Gona, LA.

Judges Named for Brangus Futurity

Jerry Morrow, Executive Vice President of the International Brangus Breeders Association, has announced that the Board of Directors have selected Glen Klippenstein, Glenkirk Farms, Mayaville, Missouri, to judge the Thirtieth Annual International Brangus Futurity and Jake White,

Pendleton Red Angus, Colorado Springs, Colorado, to judge the Junior Futurity which is scheduled for June 10, 1983, at the Hill Country Youth Exhibit Center in Kerrville, Texas.

In 1986 Klippenstein and Kirk Pendleton formed a partnership and bought a ranch in northwest Missouri, now called Glenkirk Farms. Today the ranch seedstock operation consists of purebred Polled Hereford, Hereford and Angus cattle. The progeny of these herds have won numerous championships in state and national shows. They also have to their credit the champion or reserve champion bull honor at Denver nine of the last eleven years.

Klippenstein has spoken and judged in 28 states, Argentina, Australia, and Canada. He has judged several Brangus shows including the 1982 International

Sjolander Ranches Sets Commercial Female Brangus Sale, April 30

San Antonio — Sjolander Ranches has set a Commercial Female Brangus Sale for April 30, 1983. The sale will be held at the Livestock Performance

Show in Houston, Texas. Klippenstein is currently Chairman of the Board for the American Polled Hereford Association.

Judging the Eighth Annual Junior Brangus Futurity will be Jake White. White, raised on a cattle and sheep ranch, is currently managing Pendleton's Red Angus Farms in Colorado Springs, Colorado. White previously served as general manager of Sugarloaf Angus Farm, Panama, Oklahoma and was employed with Ankeny Angus Farms, Highmore, South Dakota.

Judging is not new to White. In 1982 he judged the impressive National Western Angus Show in Denver, Colorado, and in 1981 judged the North American Livestock Exposition Angus Show in Louisville, Kentucky. White has judged numerous Brangus events including the 1983 National Western Brangus Pon Show and the 1982 National Junior Brangus Heifer Show.

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By ANN SYLER

What is the line from the old poem "If winter comes can spring be far behind" or something like that. Well winter just keeps coming and coming and coming and each time we think spring will be next in line. We had a fire in our fireplace on April 15 for the first time in our personal recorded history and wondered what in the world is going on. Also, all four of our grandchildren have been under our roof together for the first time since our newest first arrived from Bolivia. And I can definitely say that these four have raised the roof and it has been glorious. We have played softball, fed the ducks, seen a brand new baby calf, have watched the man cutting our hay, the ten year old girl and the eight year old boy had their first driving lesson out in the middle of the pasture in the pickup and have done all those things that country grandpas take such joy in their city grandchildren doing. We have NOT watched a single TV show or played a Pac-Man Game. And as far as I can tell they didn't miss it. And to finally get your hands on a four month old grandson for the first time is an incredible experience. Matt is enjoying telling everyone that I wasn't a bit nervous when we arrived at the airport—I only

put 60 cents in the parking meter behind our vehicle, (while he was getting the camera loaded). Got on the elevator and punched lower 1 and waited and waited, and wondered why we were not moving. Then he told me that we were already on 1 so I needed to punch a different button for us to go up. We had two sets of "four generation" here, so it was certainly photo session time. But enough of this. Another incredible experience the weekend before at the Show Me Association Bull sale at Sedalia, Mo. The average was \$2,165, which is believed to be the highest average bull sale of any breed in that state. There was literally "no room in the barn" and about 30 people stood out in the hallway and lobby unable to get in. For the most unusual happening though I would have to say that it was

when two men came up into the auction box with us—they were buyers and could find no other place to sit or stand, so the auctioneer invited them up, they came, and bid and bought two bulls from behind us. One man arrived about 2 1/2 hours early and took his seat, telling us that he came last year and could not get in so this year he was determined to get himself a seat and a bull. He got both. The weekend prior to this we had been in Lincolnville, Kansas at Donohue Hayhook Ranch sale. What a storm! Rain, rain, rain and wind gusts up to 60 mph, and cold, cold, cold. First, during the night, when we were all of this ruckus, we were quite sure that the tent was no longer standing, then when we got to the ranch the next morning and the tent was still up, we felt that some sort of miracle had happened. And then when 270 plus people showed up and filled the tent, we were sure of it. We had to shuttle the crowd in from the county road to the tent location on the ranch as the rain had been such that there was no driving in and the cars were lined up for five miles either side of the entrance. This is a tribute to the Donohue's and the breeders in the Show Me Association, of course, but mainly it is a tribute to the Brangus breed and to the popularity this breed has reached in this section of the country. And it is a tribute to the unbounded optimism of the cattleman

everywhere. He will go to any length to improve his herd, to try to show a profit at the end of the year—or to just break even. And perhaps it is a sign that there is a ray of sunshine peeking out from behind that dark cloud on our economic horizon, because a year ago there is no way that this many people would have shown up at a sale and there is no way that a bull sale would have averaged \$2,165. I'm not an economist, so I don't know—but I am the biggest believer in the American Rancher and his spirit. My hero's have always been cowboys, and they still are it seems.



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to Akron's presentation, he presented ABBA caps to each participant in addition to some educational materials. The heifers were presented Sunday morning at the conclusion of the weekend's events to the junior and senior member having the most points. The two winners were Scott Vancil, Piggott, Arkansas and Mark Daley, Greenbrier, Arkansas.

B.L. Littleton Sets Brangus Sale May 30 At Texarkana
The B.L. Littleton Brangus Ranch has announced the 3rd Annual Brangus Production Sale to be held Monday, May 30, 1983. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. 5 miles northwest of Texarkana on Richmond Road.
Selling will be 30 pairs (many 3-in-1), 20 bred cows, 20 bred heifers, 10 open heifers and 2 bulls.
Auctioneer will be Gerald Bowie.
Sale headquarters will be the Sheraton Inn on I-30 at Summerhill Road.
For information contact B.L. Littleton, Office 214/788-2114, 4201 Texas Blvd., Texarkana, Tx. 75501, or Larry Ellison, Ranch Manager, 214/838-6227.

A MOTOR VEHICLE regulation instructs drivers in Liverpool, England "to enter the tunnel via an entrance and, after proceeding through the tunnel, to leave via an exit."

Rancho Verde Brangus And Roberts Sale Set For May 28

San Antonio, Tx.—The Rancho Verde Brangus and Roberts Brangus Production Sale will be held Saturday, May 28, 1983. Sale time is 4:00 P.M. at the Livestock Performance Center on Hwy. 90 West of San Antonio, Texas.
Selling will be 40 lots including two deer cows, pairs and bred females. The sale will feature the breeding of Titan, 650, General, 942 and Hopi.
For information contact Gary Roberts, Roberts Brangus, 512/854-1015 or Thomas E. Perry, Rancho Verde Brangus, 512/887-8516; or the sale manager, Sammy Pierce, Pierce Sale Company, Box 807, Bellville, Texas 77418, 713/868-9104.

2nd Annual Riley Brangus Ranch Sale Set June 25

Huntville, Mo.—The 2nd Annual Riley Brangus Ranch Sale will be held Saturday, June 25, 1983. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. at the ranch at Huntville, Mo.
Selling will be 80 select lots of Brangus cattle including an interest in Waldbreit's dam and an interest in Waldbreit's granddam.
For information contact Riley Brangus Ranch, Box E, Huntville, Mo. 64559, 816/277-4412 office, or 816/277-3406 ranch; or the sale manager Sammy Pierce, Pierce Sale Company, Box 807, Bellville, Tx. 77418, 713/868-9104.

Arkansas Jr. Brangus Breeders Organize

The Arkansas Junior Brangus Breeders organized March 25, 1983 at a seminar held at Heifer Project International in Perryville, Arkansas.
Thirty juniors signed up for membership in ABBA and the International Junior Brangus Breeders Association during the seminar. Officers elected for the coming year were Carla Whitmore, president; Bill Caldwell, vice president; Monica Morgan, secretary-treasurer; and Mark Sibley, reporter.
The juniors discussed future shows and activities including the Arkansas Brangus Breeders Field Day to be held at Heifer Project International, May 21, 1983.

Brangus Focusing on Performance & Visual Evaluation at Seminary

Cattleman are urged to attend a Brangus seminar to be held May 7, 1983 at Pine Lane Ranch, Laurel, Mississippi. This educational seminar will focus on the use of visual appraisal and performance data in the selection of cattle. Experts on the use of these techniques will be officiating at the field day.
Following the visual evaluation and the evaluation using performance records the cattle will be critiqued according to the Inspection Standards of the International Brangus Breeders Association (IBBA).
A tour of the ranch is also included in the schedule of events.
Headquarters for the seminar will be the Sawmill Ramada Inn in Laurel, Mississippi, phone 601/649-9100. For further information on the seminar contact Joe Frank Sanderson, phone 601/649-4891 or the IBBA office, 9500 Toga Drive, San Antonio, Texas, 78220, phone 512/695-8231.

Plans Complete For Brangus Futurity

The big event of the Brangus show season, the International Brangus Futurity, has been scheduled for June 4-11, 1983 in Kerrville, Texas.
Judging the Thirtieth Annual Futurity will be Glen Klippenstein, Mayville, Missouri. The judging will be held at the Hill Country Youth Exhibition Center beginning at 8:30 a.m. June 10. The Junior Heifer Futurity will be judged by Jake White, College

Sikes Beefmaster Sets Complete Dispersal Sale For May 9

Tyler, Texas—Arnold Sikes Beefmasters Guaranteed and Complete Dispersal Sale following the Open Futurity female show.
The International Brangus Futurity is just one of the many events that comprise "Brangus Days in the Hill Country." The Hill Country Brangus Breeders Association and the International Brangus Breeders Association join together with a schedule that includes three Brangus sales and a number of fine social events.
For further information and a complete schedule, please contact Melanie Warner: International Brangus Breeders Association; 9500 Toga Drive, San Antonio, Texas 78220; phone 512/695-8231.

Sealy Monday

Sealy, Apr. 15 (P-S) — Receipts 800. Representative feeder classes mostly steady. Limited offering slaughter cows.

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HUB of TEXAS

Angus Association - All Female Sale

MAY 21, 1983 1:00 P.M.
At The Heart O'Texas Fairgrounds
WACO, TEXAS

SELLING 60 LOTS - BRED OR WITH CALVES AT SIDE

Complimentary Lunch Show Prospect Heifer Will Be Auctioned
Proceeds Go toward Improvements within the Hub of Texas Association
To be Auctioned Will Be Midnites Jilt 4, 8-11-82. Heifer Sired by Son of Briarhill
Bartman and Donated by Midnite Angus Ranch, Iredell, Tx.

SHOW HEIFER PROSPECTS

CONSIGNORS
Midnite Angus Ranch, Iredell, Texas
Leon Turner, Grandview, Texas
Steve Turner, Grandview, Texas
Carl Benson, Salado, Texas
Ben Varner, Waco, Texas
Terry LaCroix, Pictoria, Texas
Lloyd Warren, Waco, Texas
Pecos Valley Ranch, Mexia, Texas
A & J Ranch, Bridge, Texas
Lynn Miller, Crawford, Texas
Wilford Wootan, San Marcos, Texas
Don Joy, Waco, Texas
Kenneth Harding, Edroy, Texas
Dennis Birkes, Chilton, Texas

Auctioneer Ray Sims

For information contact:
Sale Manager Bill Hall
TEXAS ANGUS ASSOCIATION
233 N. Judkins
Fort Worth, Texas 76111 — 817/831-2641

Sale Chairman: Ben Varner
Rt. 9, Box 487
Waco, Texas 76705
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LEON VALLEY ANGUS ASSOCIATION FEMALE SALE

MAY 13, 1983 12:30 P.M.
Held at J. V. Heyser Sale Barn
Cisco, Texas

SELLING APPROXIMATELY 50 LOTS OF SELECTED FEMALES

Auctioneer: JOHN BRANDON

SALE MANAGED BY:
TEXAS ANGUS ASSOCIATION
233 N. Judkins
Fort Worth, Texas 76111
Bill Hall, Executive Secretary
817/831-2641

SALE CHAIRMAN:
J. D. Sargent
P.O. Box 107
Tolar, Texas 76786
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For Information or Catalog Contact:
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Midnite Angus Ranch, Iredell
Charles Daleher, Stephenville
James Ratliff, Ranger
Blue Bonnet Farm, Stephenville
J. D. Sargent, Tolar
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John Kidd, Eastland
W. C. Wilson, May
W. W. Pyatt, Sweetwater
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J. V. Heyser, Cisco
Glen Hubbard, Eastland

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SHOW ME BRANGUS CLASSIC
Saturday - May 7, 1983 - 1:00 p.m.
Ozark Empire Fair Sale Pavilion
Springfield, Mo.
SELLING 50 LOTS

YELLOW ROSE OF TEXAS BRANGUS SALE
Fort Worth Stock Show Grounds
Saturday, May 14, 1983 - 7:00 p.m.
SELLING 75 LOTS
Herd Sire Prospects - Pairs
Breds - Opens

BAR N RANCH BRANGUS PRODUCTION SALE
Saturday - May 28, 1983 - 7:00 p.m.
Neosho, Missouri
SELLING 60 LOTS

SYLER SALES MANAGEMENT, INC.
Matt and Ann Syler
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Burton, Texas 77835
713/289-4400

ARNOLD SIKES BEE

YO Ranch Texas Longhorn Sale Set For May 21

Mountain Home-The 10th Annual YO Ranch Invitational Texas Longhorn Sale will be held Saturday, May 21, 1983. Sale time is 2:00 p.m. at the YO Ranch at Mountain Home, Texas.

Selling will be 90 head of registered Texas Longhorns including 40 YO Ranch lots, mostly pairs, 40 outside consignments including a top YO Texas Jack 598 son, 10 Wright Heifers bred to YO Centennial Beauty and 1 share in the YO Texas Jack 598 syndication.

The South Texas Longhorn Assn. Queen Contest activities will begin at

9:00 a.m. sale day with lunch at 12:00 noon.

Auctioneer will be Eddie Wood.

Sale headquarters will be the Inn of the Hills, Junction Hwy., Kerrville, Texas 78028, 512/896-2300.

For information contact Y.O. Ranch, Walter Schreiner, Sale Manager, 512/640-3222, Mountain Home, Texas 78058.

Cash Grain Markets Slow, About Steady

Austin, Apr. 18 (F.S.) - Texas Grain Markets: Texas High Plains cash offers were mixed on Monday with only moderate changes from those reported Friday. Weekend movement was very

light. Prices paid to the farmer, FOB elevator as of 4:00 p.m. Mon. Apr. 18, 1983 (Sorghum per hundredweight): Wheat, corn, soybeans per bushel.

Area north of the Canadian River: Grain sorghum \$5.40-5.50 mostly 5.40. Wheat \$3.55-3.60. Corn \$3.19-3.35 mostly 3.30.

Triangle area from Plainview to Canyon to Farwell. Grain sorghum \$5.15-5.40 mostly 5.20-5.30. Wheat \$3.52-3.55. Soybeans \$5.20-5.35 mostly 5.30. Corn \$3.23-3.37.

Area south of a line from Plainview to Muleshoe: Counties of Bailey, Lamb, Hale, Floyd, Hockley & Lubbock. Grain sorghum \$5.16-5.45 mostly 5.16-5.25. Wheat \$3.60-3.70. Soybeans \$5.30-5.40. Corn \$3.34-3.37.

Elevators in the Texas High Plains were reporting offers and bids for Number two grain sorghum ranged from \$5.90-5.95 per hundredweight. Number

two yellow corn ranged from \$6.80-6.90 per hundredweight.

Houston cash grain markets closed as follows: Number one wheat, export ordinary \$4.46-4.55. Number two yellow grain sorghum export \$5.90-5.99. Number one soybeans, export \$6.88-6.90.

Dodge City, Apr. 18 (USDA) - Southwest Kansas Grain Market: Triangle area of Dodge City-Garden City. Local grain market slow Monday. Mild movement improved as feedlot demand increased. Bids closed mostly steady, except wheat, moderately lower. Prices paid delivered to elevators for prompt to two week delivery from 8:00 p.m. Friday to 3:00 p.m. Monday.

No. 1 hard red winter wheat 11,300 bu. 3.65-2.70.

No. 2 yellow grain sorghum 11,500 cwt. 6.05-6.16.

Mondays closing - elevator bids throughout the area:

No. 1 hard red winter wheat 3.54-3.66, 1-5 lower.

No. 2 yellow corn 8.10-8.22, steady.

No. 2 yellow grain sorghum 4.90-5.00, steady-10 higher mostly steady.

No. 1 yellow soybeans 5.49-5.56, steady-6 higher.

Baton Rouge, Apr. 18 (USDA) - Cash grain prices delivered barge for export, La. Gulf Ports (per bushel):

No. 2 yellow corn 3.88-4.00, up 4-1.

No. 1 yellow soybeans 6.44-6.48, up 1-1/4.

No. 2 soft red wheat 3.69-3.86, down 3/4-4/4.

Gulf Coast F1 Female Sale Set For May 7

Final plans have been made for the 1st Annual Gulf Coast F1 Female Sale to be held Port City Stockyards in Bay, TX on May 7, 1983 at 1:00 P.M.

Approximately thirty breeders of purebred F1 cattle have consigned over 500 females to this sale. The crosses are Brahman/Herdford, Brahman/Angus, Brahman/Simmental, Brahman/Oberholzer, Brahman/Limousin, Brahman/Red Angus, Brahman/Brown Swiss, Brahman/Gotland.

On Friday, May 6 at 1:00 P.M. the F1 females will be judged by a group of commercial cattlemen. A Champion pen will be selected from each breed cross and an overall Champion will be selected from the Breed Champions. All Champions will be awarded a trophy.

John Joyce, sales manager for this event states, "This will undoubtedly be the largest group of purebred F1 females ever assembled. We will not only have adequate numbers, but the animals in this sale will have been carefully screened and of the utmost quality. We feel that anyone in the market for F1 females can be assured of high quality, as they have been consigned by the leading F1 producers in the business."

A special consignment of 50 purebred Herdford cows with half Brahman heifer calves at side and bred back will be offered in this event. These cows come from one of the leading F1 producers in the business. The Herdford cows have been selected for their production records and fertility. This herd of Herdford cows has been a closed herd for the past twenty years.

For further information contact World Sales, Rt. 2 Box 282, Wharton, TX, phone 409-657-2212 or 409-342-2035.

K Bar A Angus Ranch Sale Set For May 7

Edgewood, Texas-The K Bar A Angus Ranch Sale of Superior Genetics will be held Saturday, May 7, 1983. Sale time is 12:00 noon at the K Bar A Angus Ranch near Edgewood, Texas.

Selling will be 66 lots of quality females, most with calves at side and rebred to Sayre Patriot, Ankonian Atomic, Lovana and sons of Sir Wms Warrant, P8 Power Play, Sayre Patriot and General JJ Patton.

For information contact K Bar A Ranch, Mr. and Mrs. D.L. Keeney, Jr., 2211 Commerce St., Dallas, Texas 75201, 214/742-6441 office, or 512/896-4591, or the sale management, O'Bryan Sales Service, Rt. 2 Angus Lane, Tuttle, Okla. 73089, 405/692-4517 or 4514.

Clark Angus Ranch Sets Complete Dispersal, June 18

Huntsville, Tx.-A Complete Dispersal of the Clark Angus-Brahman Ranch Herd will be held Saturday, June 18, 1983. Sale time is 10:00 a.m. at the East Texas Livestock Auction in Crockett, Texas.

Selling will be 1,200 head of Registered Angus and Brahman Cattle. The offering will sell in 750 lots.

For information contact William Clark, Clark Angus Ranch, P.O. Box 7841, Houston, Texas 77007, 713/666-1400.

Red McCombs Texas Longhorn Futurity Sale Set May 14

Johnson City, Tx.-The 5th Annual Red McCombs Texas Longhorn Futurity and Fiesta Sale will be held Saturday, May 14, 1983. Heifer futurity judging will begin at 11:00 a.m. with the Heifer Futurity Sale and Fiesta Texas Longhorn Sale beginning at 12:30 p.m. at the ranch at Johnson City, Texas.

Selling will be 70 breeding age Texas Longhorn females from the McCombs herd and other known breeders. Many will carry the service of El Patron and Beau Butler.

Sale headquarters will be the Broadway Plaza, San Antonio, Tx.

A sale party and dance featuring the recording star Dottie will be held on Saturday, May 14 immediately following the sale.

For information contact Stella Smith, Star Rt. 3, Box 310, Johnson City, Texas 76836, 512/869-7491.

Steer Evaluation, Production Program At Texas A&M

College Station--What do show steers and feedlot steers have in common? How are these steers similar or different from both a carcass and visual standpoint and in production efficiency? The answers to these and a host of other questions will be uncovered at a Steer Evaluation and Production Symposium in the new Animal Pavilion at Texas A&M University, May 20-21.

The symposium is built around 46 steers representing 15 breeds that were put in a performance evaluation program last October 28, says Dr. Larry Boleman, livestock specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, and Dr. Doug Wythe, associate professor of animal science at Texas A&M University.

Regarding the 46 steers, some were halibred and treated as show calves beginning last Jan. 1 while the remainder were treated as feedlot steers. However, all have been getting the same ration in the same locality. Since then measurements such as weight, average daily gain, feed efficiency, hip height, shoulder height, length of top, heart girth and length of cannon have been taken on each steer. Some of the steers will be slaughtered to obtain carcass data which will be presented at the symposium.

Boleman and Wythe say that the symposium is designed to be an educational activity for Texas 4-H and FFA youth with steer projects, for beef cattle breeders and feeders, and for those involved with beef cattle breed associations and steer shows. It is aimed at teaching feeders and other interested cattle people about concepts related to beef cattle growth, performance, carcass characteristics, feeding management, genetic differences and breeding programs.

Speakers will be using photographic records, carcass data, live animal judging and demonstrations as training tools to more accurately teach the concepts of beef cattle evaluation and production, say the symposium organizers.

Keynote speaker will be Dr. Harlan D. Ritchie, Extension beef cattle specialist in Michigan, who will discuss "Search for the Ideal Steer" at the concluding session of the symposium.

All symposium participants along with a panel of leading steer judges will have an opportunity to evaluate live steers and then view their carcasses.

Also, a host of cattle producers, feeders and packers will discuss show steers versus feedlot steers, and officials of Texas' major livestock shows will be on hand to discuss 1984 rules, regulations, and judging procedures regarding steer shows.

Along with the 46 steers carcasses to be evaluated and viewed, the symposium will feature a number of breed champions from major livestock shows which will be displayed and slaughtered for carcass evaluation. Steers and dams of past champion show steers also will be on exhibit, says Boleman and Wythe.

Other discussions will deal with the

Cow-Calf Clinic slated for June 8 at the Livestock Auction Barn in El Campo.

The program will feature discussions by cattle buyers as well as producers along with live animal demonstrations, says Dr. L. R. Spott, livestock specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

The clinic is jointly sponsored by the Extension Service and the Beef Cattle Subcommittee of Brazoria, Colorado, Jackson, Matagorda and Wharton counties.

Registration will begin at 9:45 a.m. with the program following at 10:15 a.m. The clinic will open with a panel of local cattle buyers who will use live cattle to discuss their ideas on the live cattle demand and profitability of various types of cattle.

Dr. Gary Smith, acting head of the Department of Animal Science at Texas A&M University, will then discuss what

type of calf produces the most desirable carcass and which type is most useful in the total beef industry.

Following a barbecue lunch, cattle producers from the five sponsoring counties will discuss their individual management practices.


Another topic will be cow-herd nutrition and forage production, which will be discussed jointly by Dr. David Bade, Extension forage specialist and Spott. Spott will also talk about the selection and management of heifers, again using live cattle.

Registration fee for the clinic is \$10 which includes lunch, refreshments and program materials.


Brenham Monday

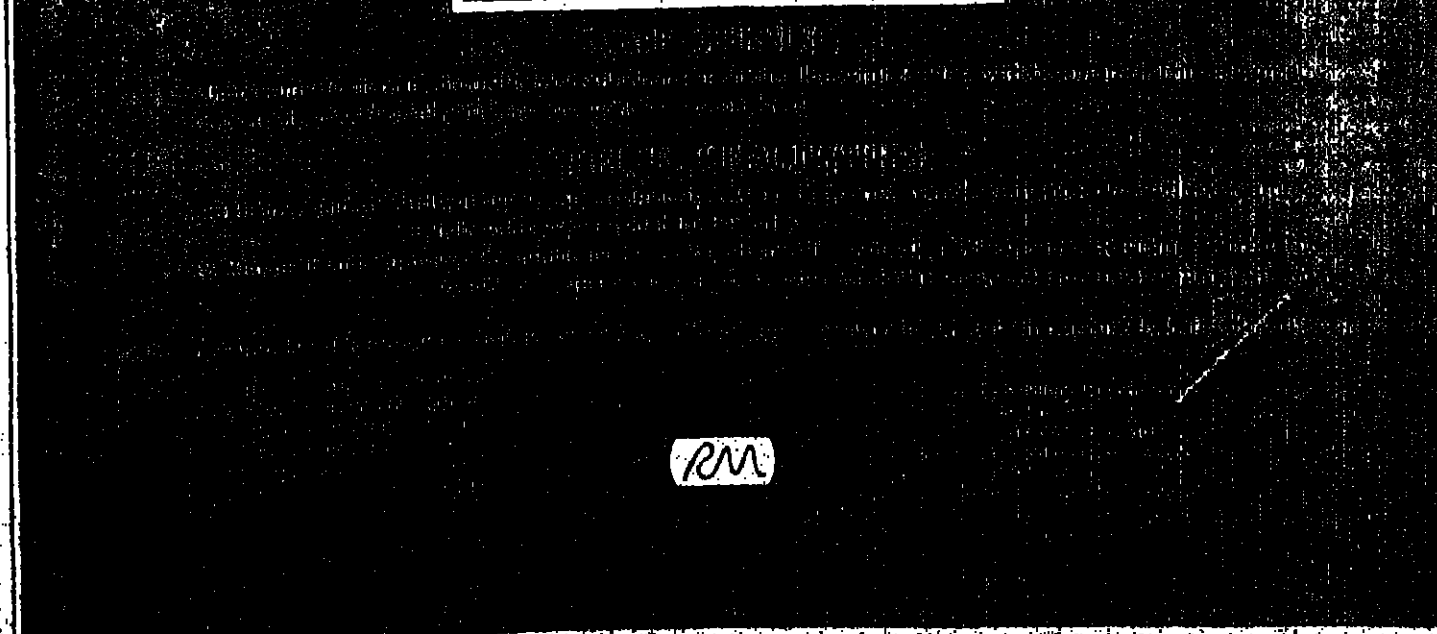
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THE 5TH
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9:00 a.m. - South Texas Longhorn Association
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12:00 noon - Lunch
2:00 p.m. - The 10th Annual YO Ranch Invitational Sale
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Walter Schreiner, Sale Manager - 512/640-3222

512/640-3222 General Office

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Gunston-West Angus Complete Dispersion Set For June 1

Lampasas, Tx.—The Complete Dispersion of the Gunston-West Angus Herd will be held Wednesday, June 1, 1983. Sale time is 10:30 a.m. at the ranch near Lampasas, Texas.

Selling will be 200 head including 17 two year old and yearling bulls, 17 unexcelled donor females, 90 Spring 1983 embryo transfer calves, 7 bred heifers, 20 open heifers and 25 pregnant recipients.

Auctioneers will be Jack Parnell and Curt Rodgers.

For information contact Gunston-West, Robert and Lois Mason, Owners, Old Austin Road, Box 243, Lampasas, Texas 76850, 512/552-2688 or the sale management, Tom Burke/Bernie Scheer, American Angus Hall of Fame, Smithville, Mo. 64089, 816/832-0811.

San Angelo Cattle

San Angelo, Apr. 18 (F-S) — Receipts

6,900. Feeders mostly fully steady; instances strong on steer calves under 500 lb. Slaughter cows and bulls near steady. Stock cows and pairs mostly fully steady with last special sale. Trading moderately to fairly active. Supply included near 2,000 stock cows and pairs on Thursday. Slaughter cows: utility 2-4 44.00-49.00; cutter 1-2 38.00-45.00. Canner and few cutter 34.00-38.00. Bulls: yield grade 1-2 1200-1800 lb. 54.00-56.00; some lower dressing 50.00-54.00.

Feeder steers: medium and few large frame no. 1: 200-300 lb. 82.00-84.00; few 150-210 lb. 85.00-96.00; 300-400 lb. 89.00-92.00; 400-500 lb. 77.00-84.00; 600-800 lb. 70.00-78.00; 900-760 lb. 68.00-73.00. Medium and few large frame no. 1-2: 300-400 lb. 73.00-82.00; 400-500 lb. 70.00-78.00; 600-800 lb. 66.00-71.00; 900-760 lb. 62.00-67.00. Heifers: medium and few large frame no. 1: 200-300 lb. 68.00-78.00; few 150-200 lb. 78.00-88.00; 300-400 lb. 67.00-73.00; 400-500 lb. 64.00-69.00; 600-700 lb. 62.00-67.50. Medium and few large frame no. 1-2: 300-400 lb. 63.00-67.00; 400-500 lb. 62.00-66.00.

Texas Angus, Brahman, And Hereford Set F1 Field Day, June 18

The town of Graham has been chosen as the site for the joint F1 field day with the Texas Angus, Brahman and Hereford Associations, in cooperation with the American Brahman Breeders Association. The field day will take place on Saturday, June 18 in the Young County 4-H Barn at Graham Farmers Park.

Host Zach Burkett of Burkett Enterprises of Graham, TX will give the welcoming remarks and the introduction of the morning's emcee Bill Hall of

the Texas Angus Association of Ft. Worth, Tx. The morning program will be underway after registration at 9:00 a.m. on June 18.

At 10:00 a.m. Dr. Steve Hammack, Area Livestock Specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Stephenville, will discuss the complementarity of the Angus, Brahman, and Hereford breeds. Jim Williams of the V8 Ranch, Hungerford, will point out the selection process needed for the ideal commercial Brahman bull in a crossbreeding operation.

Prior to lunch, ABBA's Assistant Executive Vice-President Lee Pritchard will give a detailed report on the Certification of F1 Brahman Hybrid Females Program and its tremendous growth since its beginnings in 1979. The afternoon program will begin with emcee Bruce Brandenberg, president-elect of the Texas Hereford Association. Brandenberg is the manager of the V Bar Hereford Ranch of Stanton. John Joyce of the Seaberg Ranch, Boling, will speak on the guidelines for the ideal F1 program. Jim Brown, president of the Texas

Brahman Association, and author of articles on the small purebred herds, will discuss the marketability of the F1 Brahman steers and heifers. Brown operates the River Oaks Brahman Ranch and is a F1 Brahman hybrid breeder. Ted Burkett of Archer City, TX will point out why feeders prefer F1's. Burkett is affiliated with the West Texas Feedyards.

A discussion of the Burkett Ranch F1 program by Brenda Rinker, Cattle Operations, Burkett Enterprises, will conclude the F1 field day program. The field day is open to all interested cattlemen.

For more details, contact ABBA, 1313 La Concha Lane, Houston, TX 77054, or call (713) 795-4444 or call Brenda Rinker, (817) 549-0486.

Hill Country Hereford Tour/Sale Set For June 4

Phil Wagner, president of the Greater Hill Country Hereford Association, has announced the date of June 4 for the group's annual tour and Perfect Ten Heifer Sale. Starting point of the tour will be the Schmidt Ranch at Mason with coffee and registration at 9 a.m.

Other ranches to be visited are Loyal Valley Ranch, Mason; LBJ National Park, Stonewall; Lago Vista Ranch, Round Mountain; and Granite Hills, Llano, where the sale will be held. Ranches visited will have cattle on display to outline their breeding programs which represent some of the top bloodlines in the Hereford breed.

The Perfect Ten Heifer Sale will be the evening of June 4 with consignments from the following breeders: Granite Hills Ranch, J.D. & Joyce Jordan, Rocking Chair Ranch, Loyal Valley Ranch, Perry Bolin, LBJ National Park, Triple H Ranch, Mark McIntosh, and Tom Dean. Stanley Stout will be the auctioneer.

For tour schedule and additional information contact Joyce Jordan, Box 599, Mason, TX, 76856 916/847-5691.

Texas Feedlots Drop Placements By 23%

Austin—With fewer cattle being placed in Texas feedlots during the first quarter of 1983, the April inventory of cattle on feed dropped 4% from last year to almost 1.6 million head. According to figures released by the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service, the April total was 8% below March and off 16% from the January inventory.

Cattle placements during the January-March quarter reached 790,000 head, a 28% decrease from a year ago. State Statistician Doug Murfield added that in March alone, placements were down 38% to 320,000 head.

Texas cattle feeders marketed 1.6 million head during the first quarter of the year, 2% above 1982. "Because of the severe winter weather across the High Plains, most of these cattle were going to market at lighter weights," Murfield added. Marketings during March, up 5% from a year ago, totaled 420,000 head.

Murfield reported that cattle feeders intend to market 1.1 million head during the April-June quarter, 4% more than the same period last year.

Late Federal Tax Payments Can Cost Far More Than 16%

Borrowing money from the government by paying taxes late can be an expensive decision, the Internal Revenue Service says. A 16 percent per year compound interest rate and a late payment penalty of one-half of one percent per month, or six percent per year, if added to late tax payments 90 days late, your return is more than \$100 or 100 percent of the tax due whichever is smaller. Consequently, deferring the payment of taxes in favor of bills to other creditors can prove to be far more costly in the long run. Borrowing money to pay taxes makes good sense.

IF YOU'RE not sure about these facts, people are apt to think something is wrong with you.

Canus Ranch/Green Acres Farm "Piece of Action" Sale

McKinney — Neill Portermain, owner, and Joe Kirk Smith, manager, will host the Canus Ranch/Green Acres Farm "Piece of the Action" Sale on Saturday - May 14, 1983 at the Canus/Green Acres Sale Barn at McKinney, Texas.

Canus/Green Acres has been building one of the United States today through the selection of some of the finest females available. They have reached out and obtained these tremendous females through some of the best herds in America and throughout all of Canada. Canus/Green Acres have also instilled a transplant program, using their finest females to obtain the most out of their superior genetics. The addition of Cracker Jack Baros 1119, "Nitro" has played a very important role in the breeding program at Canus/Green Acres and will be an integral part of the "Piece of the Action" sale. The "Piece of the Action" Sale will feature the extreme best from Canus/Green Acres. We are offering tremendous show heifer prospects, great brood cow candidates that offer the finest in individuality and the most modern Angus pedigrees anywhere.

A featured attraction will be the pick of three embryo transplant heifer calves, sired by "Nitro" from Stampede Lassie 879/72 who is considered the greatest daughter of "Colonel." One of the great females in the Sale is H H Lady 460 who was the Supreme Champion at the 1976 Texas Futurity.

We would like to urge every Angus enthusiast to attend Canus/Green Acres "Piece of the Action" Sale and view the fine facilities and the tremendous herd they have developed. "Nitro" will be at the sale for your inspection as well as the opportunity to view the entire herd. This sale offering is one that deserves your closest attention. Auctioneers for Canus/Green Acres will be Jack Parnell, Auburn, California and Steve Doran from Alberta, Canada.

For further information contact: National Livestock Brokers, P.O. Box 1249, North Platte, NE 69103, 308/832-0800. Al Conover 308/534-9662, Darrel Ragland 308/532-5819, Kevin Loseke 308/534-8921; or Canus Ranch/Green Acres Farm, Neill Portermain or Joe Kirk Smith, Rt. 4 Box 97, McKinney, TX 76869, 214/837-2097.

Feeder Cattle Uneven During Past Week

St. Joseph, Apr. 18 (USDA) — National feeder cattle and calf receipts 229,500, last week 185,500, year ago 225,000. Most feeder cattle and calves sold steadily to 2.00 lower except Kansas direct steady to 2.00 higher, Kentucky steady to 1.00 higher, Tennessee and steers steady to 3.00 higher. Southeast saw heifers gain 1.00 and calves in Colorado were steady to 2.00 higher.

River Market 27,000. Steers: Medium, few large frame 1 300-500 lbs. 70.00-75.00, 500-600 lbs. 67.00-74.00, 600-700 lbs. 65.00-70.00, 700-1000 lbs. 64.00-68.00. Heifers: Medium, few large frame 1 300-500 lbs. 69.00-74.00, 500-600 lbs. 66.00-71.00, 600-700 lbs. 65.00-69.00.

Oldham City 21,500. Steers: Medium and large frame 1 275-400 lbs. 71.25-82.25, 400-500 lbs. 75.25-80.50, 500-600 lbs. 67.50-74.50, 600-700 lbs. 67.50-70.40, 700-800 lbs. 65.50-69.50, 800-900 lbs. 65.10-69.50. Heifers: Medium and large frame 1 300-400 lbs. 64.00-69.50, 400-500 lbs. 64.50-67.40, 500-600 lbs. 61.80-64.80.

Dodge City 8,000. Steers: Medium frame 1 400-500 lbs. 75.50-77.50, 500-600 lbs. 71.00-76.75, 600-700 lbs. 68.00-70.20, 700-800 lbs. 68.40-70.60, 800-900 lbs. 67.50-69.75. Heifers: 675-800 lbs. 67.00-68.20, 800-900 lbs. 67.00-68.20.

Wyoming, Western Nebraska. Southwestern So. Dakota 12,500. Steers: Medium and large frame 1 350-500 lbs. 75.00-80.00, 500-600 lbs. 70.00-76.00, 600-700 lbs. 65.00-70.00. Heifers: Medium and large frame 1 300-500 lbs. 65.00-73.00, 500-600 lbs. 64.50-66.00, 600-800 lbs. 63.00-65.50.

California 13,000. Medium and large frame 1 for immediate delivery 525-550 lb. steers 75.00, 700-825 lb. 64.00-66.00, 480-500 lb. heifers 64.50-66.00, 700 lbs. 61.00; May-June delivery 660-675 lb. heifers 68.00. Medium and large frame 1-2 600-725 lb. steers 62.00-63.00, 800-850 lb. 61.50-62.00.

Select Colorado Auctions 20,500. Steers: Medium, some large frame 1 300-400 lbs. 78.75-85.50, 400-500 lbs. 74.00-78.50, 500-600 lbs. 70.00-79.00, 600-700 lbs. 67.00-70.75, 700-800 lbs. 66.00-69.50. Heifers: Medium, some large frame 1 300-400 lbs. 67.00-75.50, 400-500 lbs. 65.50-71.00, 500-600 lbs. 64.00-69.25, 600-700 lbs. including fleshy 67.50-68.50, fleshy 700-850 lbs. 68.50-65.50.

Wyoming, Western Nebraska. Southwestern So. Dakota 12,500. Steers: Medium and large frame 1 350-500 lbs. 75.00-80.00, 500-600 lbs. 70.00-76.00, 600-700 lbs. 65.00-70.00. Heifers: Medium and large frame 1 300-500 lbs. 65.00-73.00, 500-600 lbs. 64.50-66.00, 600-800 lbs. 63.00-65.50.

Fayetteville Saturday

Fayetteville, Ark. Apr. 16 (F-S) — Receipts 1,900. Feeder Steers: Medium and few large frame 1 mixed breeds, mostly Hereford, Angus, Charolais and exotic crosses, 300-450 lbs. 75.00-83.00; several 250-350 lbs. 85.00-88.00; 450-550 lbs. 73.00-78.50. Mostly medium frame 1, straight bred, 300-500 lbs. 72.00-80.00. Small frame 1 300-400 lbs. 67.50-75.00; 400-500 lb. 65.00-72.00. Medium frame 2, 300-500 lbs. 64.00-71.00. Bulls: Medium frame 1, 300-400 lbs. 72.00-80.00; 400-500

lbs. 70.00-77.50. Heifers: Medium and few large frame 1, mixed breeds, mostly Hereford, Angus, Charolais crosses, 300-500 lbs. 62.00-68.00. Pkg. Charolais cross, 410 lbs. 70.00. Others mostly straight bred, 300-500 lbs. 60.00-66.50. Small frame 1, and medium frame 2, 300-500 lbs. 67.50-62.50.

Yearling Steers: Medium and large frame 1, 500-600 lbs. 70.00-75.00; 600-800 lbs. 65.00-69.50. Small frame 1, and medium frame 2, 500-650 lbs. 63.00-67.50. Heifers: Medium and large frame 1, 500-700 lbs. 60.00-65.50. Small frame 1, and medium frame 2, 500-700 lbs. 55.00-61.00.

high dressing 58.50-60.00; low dressing 48.00-52.00.

AQHA Transfer Record Set

A record number of transfers for one month was recently set at the American Quarter Horse Association in Amarillo, Texas, AQHA Executive Secretary and General Manager Ronnie Blackwell and Director of Transfers Ron Marshall have announced.

A record 26,028 transfers of registered Quarter Horses were recorded during March, 1983, Marshall said. The previous record for monthly transfers dates back to October of 1981, when 23,410 Quarter Horse transfers were recorded.

With consistently high transfer totals coming in during the early months of 1983, prospects for another record-breaking yearly transfer total appear likely. 1982 transfers numbered 238,198, more than 3,000 above the previous year's total.

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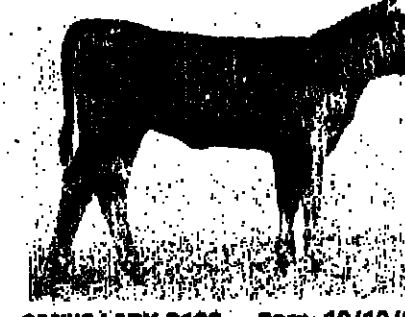


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Auctioneers: Jack Parnell and Curt Rodgers

April 1, 1983

L6 Raffles Influence To Sell, May 8

John Watson will hold the L6 Ranch Raffles Influence II Brahman Sale, May 8 at the Watson Cattle Service Sales Arena, Tyler, TX. Starting time is 1 p.m. Sale location is 15 miles south of Tyler on State Hwy. 155.

Selling will be 60 females and six herd bull prospects, all with the Raffles Influence. CMI Raffles 101/7 is currently Ranked 6th in ABBA's Register of Renown.

The offering includes bred and open heifers, cow-calf pairs and three-in-one packages, and herd bull prospects, plus a special group of outstanding junior heifer show prospects.

Special guest consignor is Kip Box, Carrizo Springs, TX.

For more information contact: John Watson, RT. 1, Box 91, Devine, TX 78018, 512/663-2740.

South Texas Feedlots

San Antonio, Apr. 14 (F-S) — Con-

Fort Worth Stock Show Had Good Year, Elects Officers

The 1983 Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show experienced one of its most successful years according to a report by W.R. Watt Jr., show president-manager, to the show's directors who met Tuesday (April 12) at the Fort Worth Club.

James R. Perry, chairman of the board and chief executive officer of First National Bank of Fort Worth, was elected to the Stock Show Executive

Committee. Lewis H. Bond, chairman of the board of Texas American Bankshares, was named treasurer. Six long-time show directors were advanced to the new office of honorary vice president, and 18 new directors were elected. Other officers re-elected were John Justin, chairman; Watt, president-manager; Case Edwards, vice president; and L.E. Nance, secretary. New honorary vice presidents are

Clay J. Berry, H.B. Fuqua and Jack Turner of Fort Worth, Bryant Edwards of Henrietta, Clarence Scharbauer Jr. of Midland, and George R. Shepherd of Graham. Watt noted that each of these men have served on the board of directors in excess of 30 years and their interest and support have been a major part of the overall success of the show.

New show directors include H. Ver-



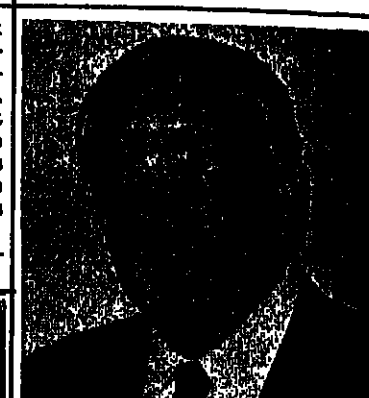
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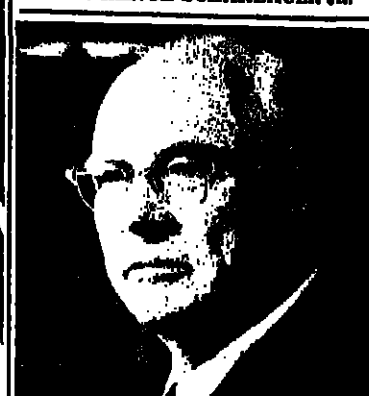
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non Baird, chairman and chief executive officer of Mrs. Baird's Bakeries; George Beggs IV, Girard cattleman; Geron Bernstein, chairman of Moning's; Dan J. Graine, owner of Miller Distributing of Fort Worth; Marvin Gearhart, chairman and president of Gearhart Industries; Joseph M. Grant, chairman and president of Texas American Bank/Fort Worth.

Also, Harry G. Hansen, Hamilton cattleman; Wayne Haygood, Canadian cattleman; Dee J. Kelly, Fort Worth attorney; Oran F. Needham, chairman of Millers Insurance Group; James M. Norman, partner of Price Waterhouse & Co.; John V. Roach, president, chief executive officer and chairman of the board of Tandy Corp.; and J.R. Williams, an associate with The Brando Co.

Watt also told directors the show had 16,253 livestock entries this year with some \$164,961 being paid out to exhibitors in the various divisions. Exhibitors came from 28 states, Canada, Mexico, Guatemala and Columbia. He reported that 11 livestock sales grossed \$1,580,369.

Stock Show grounds attendance this year was 625,300 and paid rodeo attendance was 118,372. Watt noted that the "quality of our rodeo was again exceptional." Winning rodeo contestants were awarded \$225,000 in prize money.

The show president noted the Stock Show paid for \$47,000 worth of permanent improvements to the W.W. Rogers Complex this year for the City of Fort Worth. He said the expenditure brings to \$2.48 million which the show has spent in this area since moving to the complex in 1944.

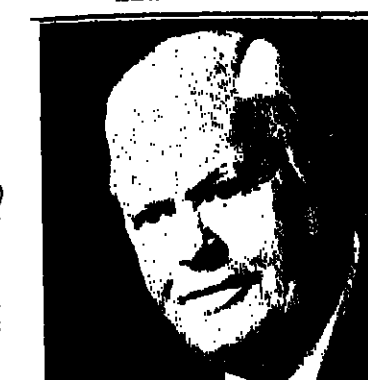
Watt announced that show dates for 1984 will be Jan. 25 through Feb. 4. Mail orders for rodeo tickets will be accepted after May 1.

Apache Friday

Apache, Okla., Apr. 15 (F-S) — Receipts 1,450. Feeder cattle and calves 1.00-8.00 lower. Slaughter cows 1.00-8.00 lower. Slaughter bulls 1.00-2.00 lower. Feeder Steers: Medium frame No. 1 800-400 lbs. 80.00-85.00, 400-500 lbs. 74.00-82.50, 500-600 lbs. 65.00-72.00, 600-700 lbs.



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Capriccio Cattle Co. Chianina Production Sale Set May 14

Quilman, Tx.—The Capriccio Cattle Company Chianina Production Sale will be held Saturday, May 14, 1983. The sale will be at the ranch located 5 miles east of Quilman, Texas and 1.2 miles south on Hwy 154.

The sale will feature outstanding selections developed from the Black Champ Ranch dams and sires, including Trimline, Win Torr, Ben Torr, Jen Torr and Black Ben. The offering will include heifers bred to Pompeii and Maurilio, purebred bulls, cows and calves. Also selling will be some percentage Chianina cattle, both black and white.

For information contact: Capriccio Cattle Co., M.M. Turner, Owner, 2805 Southland Center, Dallas, Texas 75201, 214/444-0181 or C.R. Stover, Manager, Box 875, Quilman, Tx 75789, 214/987-3585; or the sale management, Dub Venable, Inc. Rt. 1, Anadarko, Okla 73005, 405/247-5761 or 405/247-2287 home.

Interim Rules On Migrant Labor Set, Comments Invited

Secretary of Labor Raymond J. Donovan announced April 12 that the Labor Department has issued interim regulations to implement the new Migrant and Seasonal Agricultural Worker Protection Act (MSFPA).

The interim rules, scheduled to appear in the Federal Register on April 12, become effective April 14, the same day the MSFPA goes into effect.

Donovan said, "We are pleased to note the effective date of this important new law, which will substantially improve protections for migrant and seasonal farmworkers while eliminating unnecessary regulatory burdens for agricultural employers and agricultural associations."

"The Department will work hard to ensure compliance with the act," Donovan added.

MSFPA replaces the Farm Labor Contractor Registration Act. Unlike the earlier act, the new law distinguishes between crew leaders and stationary employers. Under MSFPA, stationary employers will no longer be required to register as if they were crew leaders or be subject to a wide range of regulatory requirements that were originally designed for crew leaders. They will be required, however, to comply with all provisions of the act setting protections for workers.

These protections include safety and health standards for housing and vehicles; advance disclosure of wages, hours and working conditions; receiving itemized, written statements of earnings for each pay period, and maintenance of payroll records.

In addition, the act provides exemptions for certain persons and organizations, such as family businesses, small businesses and labor unions, and deletes ambiguous language in the

former law which became the source of extensive litigation.

The interim final regulations will remain in effect no more than 120 days (until August 12, 1983). Written comments on the regulations will be accepted for 30 days. After the department carefully evaluates the comments, it will publish final rules, with modifications as necessary.

Three copies of the comments should be sent to: William M. Otter, Administrator, Wage and Hour Division, U.S. Department of Labor, Room S-3602, 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20210.

Further information on the proposal can be obtained by writing to Mr. Otter at the address listed above or by telephoning him at (202) 623-3305. (This is not a toll-free call.)

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Texas Longhorn to Benefit Museum New Headquarters

Ft. Worth — A select group of registered Texas Longhorn cattle will sell in a historic "barn raising" event with all proceeds going to the building fund of the Texas Longhorn Breeders Association of America (TLBAA). The sale, named the "National Headquarters and Museum Fund-Raising Sale", is set for 12 noon, August 12, 1983, at the amphitheater of the MGM Grand Hotel in Reno, Nevada.

The new headquarters and museum for TLBAA will be constructed in Ft. Worth, Texas, near the site of the old Chisolm Trail.

All cattle in the sale are being donated by members of TLBAA. Consignments will be selected by a sale committee from photographs and production information provided by breeders. This information must be

received in the association office by May 10, 1983.

The construction of a new headquarters and museum is a result of the continued interest in registered Texas Longhorn cattle and the explosive growth of TLBAA. In the last five years, membership in TLBAA and cattle registered in the association have increased by about 300 percent. In the last year, membership has increased from 1,200 to near 2,300. The new building will serve as worldwide headquarters for America's original beef breed and the museum will house artifacts and memorabilia from early Western America including the trail drives.

The "National Headquarters and Museum Fund-Raising Sale" is managed by TLBAA and will be auctioneered by Colonel Eddie Wood, Wynnewood, Oklahoma. For more information, contact Charles Dooley, Executive Director, TLBAA, 3701 Airport Freeway, Fort Worth, Texas, 76111, (817) 831-4377.

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Guerra Red Brangus Educational Seminar Set April 29-30

The Guerra Bros. have announced the date and schedule for their upcoming Royal Flush Red Brangus Seminar and Sale of the Americas III, to be held on April 29th and 30th at their ranch near Linn, Texas. The educational seminar, a breed first, promises to be one of the highlights of the year. The seminar theme will be "How to be Successful in the Registered Cattle Business," stated Felo Guerra. Seminar co-sponsors will be Bernhard Ranch, BEST Embryos, Flat O Cattle Co., Jabe and Louise Johnson, Ron Jones (Graham Cattle Co.), A.C. (Sonny) Martinez, McLean Ranch, Oakway Farms, Paleface Ranch, Bert Reyes and C.T. Wells. Following is a Schedule of Events:

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS
FRIDAY, APRIL 29: 8:00-12:00 — Registration; viewing of Sale Cattle; Ranch Tours. **12:00-1:00** — Fajita Cook-off. Pico de Gallo coupled with Festive Atmosphere. **2:00-5:00** — Red Brangus Seminar. **2:00-2:15** — Introduction of Emcee. **2:15-2:30** — Overview of Program. **2:30-3:00** — How to be Successful in the Registered Cattle Business. Jim Leachman. **3:00-3:30** — The History of the Red Brangus Breed and the Future of the Big Red Muley. Mike Levi. **3:30-4:00** — The Do's and Don'ts of AI and Excess Synchronization. Ken Porzyn. **4:00-5:00** — How to Select Your Next Herd Bull and Cow Herd Additions. Dr. Bill Turner. **5:00-6:00** — Questions and Rap Session. **7:00-12:00** — Patio Party.
SATURDAY, APRIL 30: 8:00-10:00 — Donuts and Coffee. **10:00-10:30** — How Can I Promote My Operation to It's Maximum Marketing Potential. Jim Brown, President — TBA. **10:30-11:00** — How Important in Dollars and Cents is Nutrition to a Cow-Calf Producer. Dr. Randall Grooms. **11:15-11:30** — What I

A.C. Angus Sets Mature Cow Dispersal For May 21 at Stigler

Stigler, Okla. The A.C. Angus Ranch Mature Cow Dispersal will be held Saturday, May 21, 1983. Sale time is 12:30 p.m. at the Stigler Livestock Auction at Stigler, Oklahoma. Selling will be 180 lots including 80 cows with fall calves and 80 cows with spring calves. All calves are sired by Chianina and Limousin bulls and the cows are rebred to Chianina bulls. For information contact Ralph Carpenter, Kinta, Oklahoma, 918/489-2397.

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Bros. P. O. Box 38, Linn, TX 76558. Office 512/889-2802, Felo 512/889-5875; or Carlos 512/889-7640.

The week-end begins Friday morning with registration, ranch tours, the famous Linn-San Manuel Volunteer Fire Dept. Fajita Cook-off at noon with the seminar beginning at 2:00 PM and a patio party at the Guerra home winding up the day. The seminar on Saturday will start at 9:00 a.m. ending at 1:00 p.m. The rest of the afternoon will be spent viewing the sale cattle surrounded by a festive South Texas atmosphere with Pro-Sale activities starting at 5:00 p.m. and the Sale of the Americas at 7:00 p.m. The most popular and most valuable Herd Bull Battery of the Breed, including such greats as 77/5, Warrior 21/4, 113/7, Geronimo, 818, and the \$400,000 Extra. Many of the females will be bred to 77/5 and Extra. A highlight of the Sale will be the offering of the first sons of Geronimo. "Only at the Sale of the Americas can

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"NEW STUFF" (continued)**Levi's to Sponsor AJQHA Championships**

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"We're very pleased to be working in conjunction with a fine company like Levi Strauss," AJQHA Executive Secretary and General Manager Ronald Blackwell said. "The AJQHA is looking forward to a long-running partnership for the good of both the AJQHA and its members."

LEVI'S involvement with the championships will come in the form of funding to the show's general and promotional budgets and through promotional tie-ins and materials. Promotional monies will allow added media exposure locally and statewide. Both print and broadcast advertising will be upgraded with the added funds.

The championship's general budget also will receive assistance, providing the show with money to defray rising costs. Improvements in the championship's social activities and some facilities also will result from LEVI'S sponsorship.

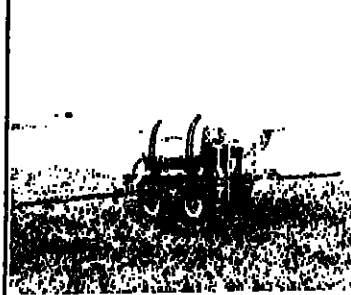
Promotional tie-ins with local and state LEVI'S retailers also are being planned, adding another venue from

which the show may receive publicity. Hopes are this added promotional blitz will draw larger audiences and give a boost to the show's recognition throughout the state and nation.

Working in conjunction with LEVI'S and the championships is Tulsa-based Drysdale's Western Wear, one of the state's largest western apparel retailers. The store also will provide funding to the show's general budget. Adding a little spice to the championship's evening performances will be three \$1,000 shopping spree give-aways, each donated by Drysdale's. These will be given at random to audience members through drawings scheduled for the final three evening performances.

The AJQHA World Championships are an annual event featuring the best of the nation's and Canada's youth Quarter Horse exhibitors and their horses. These participating must be in the AJQHA's top ten youth standings in whichever class they compete. The only exceptions are two entries chosen by each state junior Quarter Horse association. Team competition also is at stake, with each state association attempting to score the most points to take the overall team title.

Annual business of the AJQHA also will be conducted at the Tulsa show, with the AJQHA Convention taking place in conjunction with the championships. Elections of AJQHA officers and voting on business matters by state delegates occurs at the convention.

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ICA Benefit Sale May 14 in Victoria

AUSTIN - Hundreds of ranchers across the state will soon begin a unique round-up of calves and other livestock for a sale to benefit the Independent Cattlemen's Association of Texas.

This year's sixth annual event is scheduled for May 14 in Victoria. It will be hosted by the Victoria county ICA chapter.

ICA President Roy Wheeler, who began the benefit sale six years ago, invites all livestock producers and agribusiness owners to participate. Funds raised through the sale enable ICA to continue its work for legislation beneficial to the agriculture industry. Efforts to preserve the rural community, fight harmful immigration bills, and to encourage today's youth in agriculture through a new \$6,000 scholarship program were made possible by funds from the 1982 calf sale, Wheeler reports.

"We thank all of those who have helped with donations in the past and urge them to encourage their neighbor to donate with them this year," said Wheeler.

Finley Blackwell and Burrell E. Jones, owners of the Victoria Livestock Commission, Inc. have donated the use of their facilities for the fundraiser to begin at 10 a.m. Saturday.

The sale will be preceded by a cattle drive party Friday, May 13 from 7 to 12 p.m. at the VFW Hall in Victoria. Food, drinks and dancing, compliments of Citizens National Bank, First Victoria National Bank, InterFirst Bank Victoria, United Bank-Victoria and Victoria

Bank and Trust will be offered to all donors and friends of ICA attending. Auctioneer for the sale will be Clyde Holdcroft of Pleasanton. Serving as Transportation Director, Verlin Callahan of Bastrop will assist members in transporting their donations to Victoria. To make arrangements to have calves delivered to the sale, donors may contact Callahan at (512) 886-8462 or Tyler McCumber at the association of vice at (512) 886-1321.

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"NEW STUFF" (continued)**Proper Pens Put Cattle at Ease**

To move cattle without their balking, it helps to know a little "cattle psychology."

Cattle are near-sighted, color blind and have wide-angle vision, said Donald Rains, extension agricultural engineer in northern Missouri's Green Hills area. Living in a black and white panoramic

world, cattle are understandably scared of their own shadow - and everything else as well, he said. Knowing these bits of cattle psychology helps free the handling pen of skittish steers.

Solid fences are the biggest single improvement you can make in your handling pens, Rains said. Solid fences minimize confusing shadows, and act as blinders to block outside distractions. This will help you move them faster and easier.

"Cattle should be able to see only where they're supposed to go," Rains said.

Sliding gates, and dodge and squeeze chute gates should be designed to give the cattle some vision of what's before them. Cattle often balk before the crowdling pen if they're faced with a solid sliding door.

Likewise, if a steer can see the animal ahead of it leaving the stanchion, it's less apt to freeze going in the squeeze chute.

Sliding gates and squeeze chute doors should be made of spaced planks or of a pipe frame covered with expanded steel mesh, Rains said.

Dodge gates and leadup alleys should also allow the cattle to see just enough to make them feel secure. Leadup alleys should be gently curved and shouldn't allow the cattle to see a straight run of more than 25 ft.

"The idea is to prevent cattle from seeing the squeeze until they are almost in it," Rains said.

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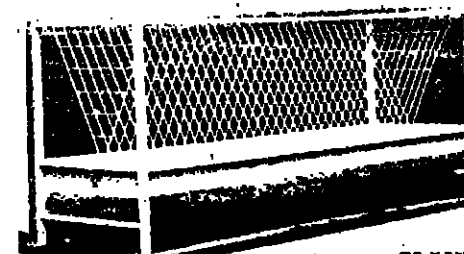
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The reason the ASEAN area ranks as the fastest growing market? The region's gross national product has grown 7 percent annually over the past decade. Which means if this rate is continued, it will double by 1990.

Have U.S. exporters ignored the region? Absolutely not. They exported \$839 million worth of wheat, \$195 million worth of cotton, \$177 million worth of tobacco, \$139 million worth of soybeans, \$49 million worth of feed grains, \$34 million worth of oilcake and meal, \$271 million worth of other agricultural products - \$1.2 billion over all - to ASEAN countries last year.

And, it's a two-way street. ASEAN members account for more than 80 percent of the world's rubber output, 60 percent of its palm oil and half of its tin.

They export 75 percent of the world's coconut products, 90 percent of its tropical products, 60 percent of its pepper.

In 1981, U.S. imports from the ASEAN region totaled \$1.9 billion. Last year they totaled \$1.65 billion.

Experts Stress Proper Nutrition in "Synchronized" Breeding

Based on an extensive series of interviews, university researchers and progressive cattlemen agree on one thing: Proper nutrition is vital to the success of a breeding synchronization program.

Experts state it plainly: "Feeding goes hand in hand with breeding. If the cow or heifer isn't fed properly, she isn't going to conceive."

Animals of course should maintain a proper energy balance at all times and not be losing body condition. But due to heavy nutrient demand, cows and heifers can go into a negative energy balance during the calving-breeding period. Supplemental feeding must be sufficient to place the animal on an upward energy plane at this time or conception rates will be significantly lowered.

Pre-Calving Through Breeding
The critical period, as defined by researchers and producers, is that period of days from pre-calving through the breeding season. It covers approximately 90 to 120 days.

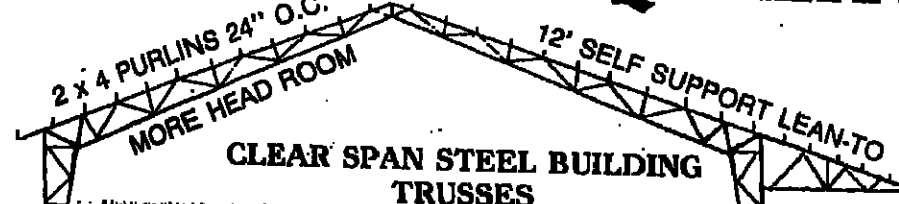
During the last third of gestation, the balance during the calving-breeding period must meet greatly increased nutrient demand. Experts state that for a calf that will weigh 100 pounds at birth, the fetus will weigh 10 pounds at the six month mark. The other 90 pounds of fetus weight is added during the last 3 months of gestation.

After calving, or during the post-partum period, the requirement of supplying milk to the growing calf places heavy nutrient demand on the mother. And this demand is coming at the same time that the producer is wanting the cow or heifer to get into condition to be "bred back."

Shortened Breeding Season
Special nutrient requirements call for an understanding of nutritional management. And nutritional management is becoming more important as larger numbers of cattlemen use an estrus synchronization program to shorten their breeding and calving seasons. To achieve best synchronization results, cattlemen are placing their animals on special feeding programs where they are "pushed" into condition to breed back quickly.

Compared to customary breeding seasons of 90 to 120 days, producers now are shortening the breeding season to 45 days. With SYNCRO-MATE-B, the new estrus synchronization product introduced by CEVA Laboratories, Inc., cattlemen can have a high percentage of animals settled in 25 days.

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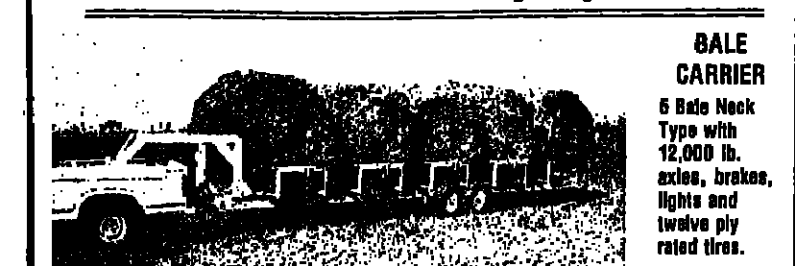
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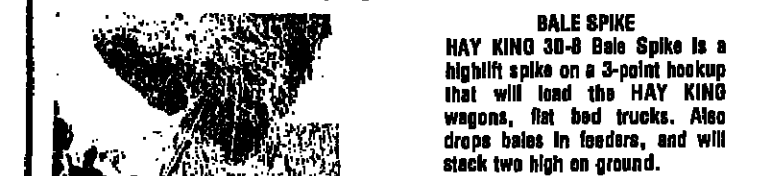
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recommended by the NCA and AARP, Nicholson says, "You can cover all the immunizations with three injections if you use the right combinations."

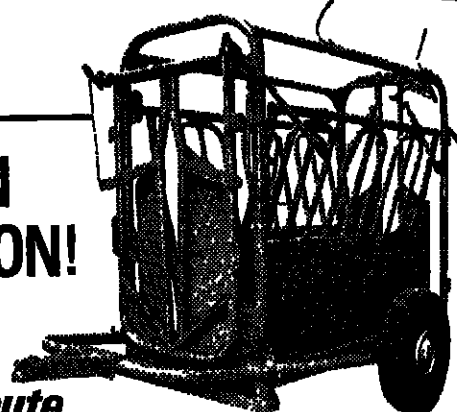
Look for a combination for respiratory diseases, Nicholson says. But be sure the intramuscular vaccine with IBR and P13 is a killed virus. Modified live virus in young calves may cause complications.

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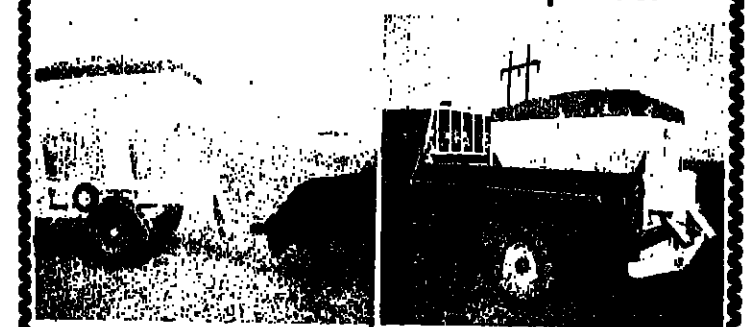
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Cloned Hereford Calves Born On Tennessee Farm

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The process involved flushing the donor cow to obtain the embryos. Once an embryo was obtained, it was split in half, then the separate halves were placed in host shells of unfertilized embryos and then reimplanted in the recipient cows.

The natural mother of the cloned calves is PB Ma M Li Don A6241, the dam of 18 calves; 11 of these through embryo and the sire of the clones is Li Domino 79901, the leading sire of Register of Merit show winners this past season.

Do you think only in terms of yourself, how much you can make, and what you can get out of life? Those who think only in these terms are definitely part of the problem. If you are you concerned with the contribution you can make, how much you can give, and how much you can put in? People like that are part of the answer.

Williams To Sponsor 4-H Beef Program

College Station - For the fifth consecutive year, Clayton W. Williams Jr. of Midland, a prominent rancher and oil producer, will sponsor the statewide 4-H beef awards program.

The 4-H beef awards program recognizes 4-H members who have excelled with beef projects, said H.T. Davison, 4-H specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and executive director of the Texas 4-H Foundation.

Through Williams support, the four top 4-H beef producers in each county, based on their project records, are recognized with a special award. Each of the 14 Extension districts may submit for state competition their first place winner, representative of the counties in that district. The state winner receives an expense-paid trip to the National 4-H Congress held in Chicago each fall.

According to Davison, the 4-H beef awards program is one of 47 awards programs available to Texas 4-H members. A number of these programs are sponsored by Texas donors such as Williams.

Robert R. Smith, spokesman for Clayton Williams, said that the company enjoyed its association with 4-H and was pleased to help encourage young people to study and practice beef production in their 4-H programs.

Dr. John T. Palham, state 4-H leader with the Extension Service, said that the 4-H beef project was one of the more important 4-H programs and that the involvement and support of Williams as the program donor provides special incentive for every 4-H member who desires to excel.

Volunteer 4-H leaders and 4-H members can get information on the beef awards program from their county Extension office, Palham said.

Anhydrous Ammonia Hay Enhancement Improves Protein

Wichita Falls - Enhancement of low quality hay by exposing the bale to anhydrous ammonia inside a plastic bag is being explored by the county livestock committee. Ray Hicks of Iowa Park is establishing a demonstration where some low quality hay will be covered with a large sheet of plastic with the edges sealed air tight. A nozzle is being used to apply anhydrous ammonia into the air tight container.

The recommended rate of application is 2 percent of the hay weight. Hicks' bales weigh approximately 1,600 pounds, which requires 30 pounds of anhydrous ammonia. This amount of anhydrous ammonia costs about \$4.50. After 30 days, the percent protein is greatly enhanced along with the total digestible nutrients. A 5 percent protein hay can be expected to jump to 8 to 10 percent protein. Hay with 45 percent TDN might jump to 60 to 65 percent TDN.

Hay samples will be taken before and after treatment in order to get a measurement on the increased hay quality. Then, the added food value of the hay can be measured back to the cost of the treatment to determine if this practice can be profitable for livestock producers in the area. - Don D. Decker, Extension Agent.

Korea a Market For U.S. Cattle?

Could be, according to USDA's Foreign Agriculture magazine. It expects to import 80,000 head of cattle this year - 50,000 beef cattle, the rest dairy cattle. That's about double the planned imports expected earlier.

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Greater West Texas Angus Association Sale Set April 23

Amarillo, TX - The Greater West Texas Angus Association Sale will be held Saturday, April 23, 1983. Sale time is 12:30 p.m. at the Tri-County Fairgrounds, Gouldy State Pavilion in Amarillo, Texas. Lunch will be available at the sale.

Selling will be 50 head of Angus cattle including cow/calf pairs, bred and open heifers and bulls.

Auctioneer will be John Hironon. Sale headquarters will be the Quality Inn, 1-40, Amarillo.

Consignors are Richmond Hales, Frank Hinkson Sr., Frank Hinkson III, Mike Hinkson, Worth Jones, Glenn Lust, Moonshadow Ranch, Darrell Morris, Robert Reed and Lewis Walker.

Sale chairman is Mike Hinkson, Rt. 1, Box 71, Turkey, Texas 79261. 806/423-1241. Sale manager is Texas Angus Association, Bill Hall, Executive Secretary, Fieldman, 233 North Judkins, Fort Worth, Texas 76111. 817/331-2041.



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Meat Production 61.1 Billion Pounds in 1982

Production of meat animals in 1982 totaled 61.1 billion pounds, down 5% from the 64 billion pounds produced in 1981, according to the U.S. Department of Agriculture's 1981-82 Meat Animals report. The value of meat animal production was \$33.2 billion in 1982, compared with \$33.7 billion a year earlier.

Total 1982 marketings of meat animals increased 1%, the report said. Coupled with higher prices received for hogs and pigs, total cash receipts for 1982 were \$41 billion, up 3% from 1981 but below the record high of \$43.9 billion set in 1979.

Cattle and calves contributed 73% of the total U.S. cash receipts from meat animal marketings, while hogs accounted for 26%. Sheep and lambs took 1% of the share.

Higher cattle marketings in 1982 more than offset lower annual average prices for cattle and calves. This allowed cash receipts to surpass 1981 as the third highest year on record. In 1982, cash receipts from the sale of cattle and calves totaled \$29.9 billion, exceeded only by the \$34.4 billion in 1979 and the \$31.5 billion in 1980, USDA said.

All 1982 cattle marketings totaled 53.4 billion pounds, up 6% from 1981 and up 8% from 1980. However, it was 9% below the record high of 58.5 billion pounds set in 1977. The U.S. annual cattle price average at \$56.70 cwt. live weight was 3% lower than 1981. Calf prices at \$59.80 cwt. were down 7%.

\$30.5 Billion Income From Cattle Last Year

While All States Contributed to the \$30.5 billion in gross income from cattle and calves last year, 9 states accounted for 2/3 of that total, according to a USDA Statistical Reporting Service publication issued this week.

Texas led with a \$4.16 billion gross total. Followed by Nebraska, with \$3.23 billion; Kansas, with \$2.78 billion; Iowa, with \$2.43 billion; Oklahoma, with \$1.76 billion; Colorado, with \$1.69 billion; South Dakota, with \$1.65 billion; and Minnesota, with \$1.08 billion.

While gross income from hogs and pigs totaled \$10.8 billion, 5 states accounted for 2/3 of the total. Iowa led with \$2.88 billion. Followed by Illinois, with \$1.28 billion; Minnesota, with \$847 million; Indiana, with \$794 million; and Nebraska, with \$738 million.

Gross income from sheep and lambs totaled \$460.9 million last year. Texas led with \$97.3 million. Followed by California, with \$54.9 million; Colorado, with \$47.3 million; South Dakota, with \$31.9 million; Idaho, with \$25.3 million; Wyoming, with \$24.1 million; Utah, with \$18.4 million; Montana, with \$18.5 million.

Cash receipts for hogs and pigs marketings were a record high \$10.6 billion, up 9% from the previous high in 1981. Marketings at 20.1 billion pounds were down 10% from 1981. The U.S. average hog price was \$52.80 cwt. in 1982, up from the \$48.90 in 1981.

million; and Iowa, with \$18.0 million. Those 9 states accounted for 61 percent of the national total.

These statistics available in "Meat Animals: Production, Disposition, Income, 1981-1982." Single copies available on request. Write Farm Paper Letter, USDA, Rm. 407-A, Washington, DC 20250.

"Plowless Farming" Is Here

A few years ago, most farmers wouldn't hear of using tillage methods that left crop residues on top of the soil. They relied on the moldboard plow - a practice that puts crop residues under the soil, but can produce maximum rates of erosion.

But conservation tillage, or "plowless farming," is an idea whose time has come, according to Terry B. Kinney, Jr., administrator of USDA's Agricultural Research Service.

While about 100 million acres, or nearly 1/4 of the nation's cropland is now conservation tilled, by the year 2000, "plowless farming" will be in full swing on virtually all U.S. cropland, Kinney says. (USDA 325-83).

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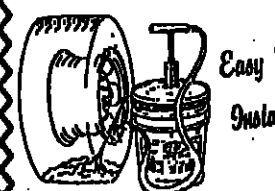


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Precondition and Market For Premium Price

You may not want and sell your 1983 calf crop until late this year. But if you want top dollar for those calves, you'll start working for it this spring.

Think now about "adding value" to those calves through preconditioning and better marketing, says Joe Minyard, Extension beef specialist at South Dakota State University.

Minyard says a sound preconditioning program starting at birth is one of the most consistent ways to increase the value of calves.

Think marketing, too.

"But in addition to preconditioning your calves this spring and summer, you also need to start thinking right now about how you're going to market these calves, because it may or may not be best to use conventional marketing procedures," he says.

Preconditioning also should reduce the calf producer's risk of sickness and death, Minyard says.

"And preconditioned calves should go to market carrying more weight. Plus, of from \$1 to \$4.50/cwt., more than similar quality calves that weren't preconditioned," he says.

Preconditioning prepares the calf to better withstand the stress of movement from the farm or ranch through the marketing channel to final destination.

"Surveys in Iowa suggest that, without preconditioning, it's reasonable to see death losses of two to three percent during the first month (on feed). With preconditioned calves, however, death losses of only a quarter to a half percent are more likely," he says.

Preconditioning practices

Preconditioning is an integral step in bringing home more cash from sales, says Minyard, who was deeply involved in the initiation of South Dakota's new preconditioning program begun in 1982.

Practices vary slightly between some states, but all closely resemble the National Cattlemen's Association and the American Association of Bovine Practitioners, a national organization of cattle veterinarians.

In that program, the groups offer recommendations for treating calves early (one to three months of age, usually at branding) and shortly before weaning or at weaning time.

For calves one to three months old, the NCA and AABP recommend immunization for IBR and P18, (use killed vaccines for intramuscular injection or intranasal modified live virus), Pasteurella, Haemophilus somnus, Leptospira and the seven clostridial (blackleg-type) diseases.

Other procedures to be done early are castration and dehorning. Stress on the

calf is much less at the younger age. External and internal parasite control also may be done at this time.

With the exception of replacement heifer calves, all calves should be implanted at the early age. "Implanted calves will wean off weighing about 30 pounds more than non-implanted calves," Minyard says.

Vaccines given in the spring should be boosted shortly before or at the time of weaning. Immunizations for BVD, vibriosis and brucellosis also may be given at this time. Local programs and conditions vary, so consult your veterinarian to work out your immunization plan.

Finally, Minyard says, "have calves weaned at least 30 days prior to sale. During this time, calves will be fed bunk and water trough broke."

After weaning, calves should go on a high energy, high protein ration to gain 1.5 to 2.5 pounds per day, Minyard says.

With the rate of gain, and additional weight preconditioned calves carry, the program should pay for itself, even before the normal premium is added.

"The local veterinarian who has either been directly involved in the preconditioning program or who can certify that the work was done, then signs the condition," Minyard says. In most state programs, calves are identified with a special serially numbered ear tag.

"But while many cattlemen are doing a good job of producing a top quality calf crop, darned few cattlemen are doing a good enough job of merchandising that product," Minyard says.

With the investment in top quality calves and preconditioning, it may be a mistake to sell your cattle in the regular run at the local auction, Minyard says.

"With good numbers and with proper advertising, planning and promotion, special preconditioned calf sales offer a lot of potential. The only difference from most sales is that the entire auction, or a major segment to fit would be devoted to preconditioned calves."

"In the same respect, in some areas

electronic auctions may be another way to capitalize on preconditioning," Minyard says.

"There's minimal stress on the cattle because they're not hauled to a central marketing location."

As another option, the individual preconditioned calves in regional cattle publications, Minyard says. "However, it may be a cheaper and a more effective use of advertising dollars if a group of 10 or 20 producers pools their cattle, then advertises the larger group."

In such a cooperative with more cattle producers are better able to package their calves by size, type and breed into marketable groups - such as pen sizes or truck load lots.

"Another option would be to market preconditioned calves through cattle brokers - individuals who'll locate buyers looking for the kind of cattle you have to sell. Again, pooling uniform cattle with other producers may help. Let 'em know."

At the least, Minyard says, let cattle feeders, brokers and order buyers know that on a certain date your cattle will be ready for sale.

Minyard says, too, once you've sold preconditioned cattle, keep in touch with that buyer through the coming year.

"If the buyer is satisfied with the performance of these cattle, he may be eager to buy your cattle again next year. It takes time to build up rapport between buyer and seller. However, once that is established, it may be possible to sell direct to the buyer rather than going through more conventional marketing channels."

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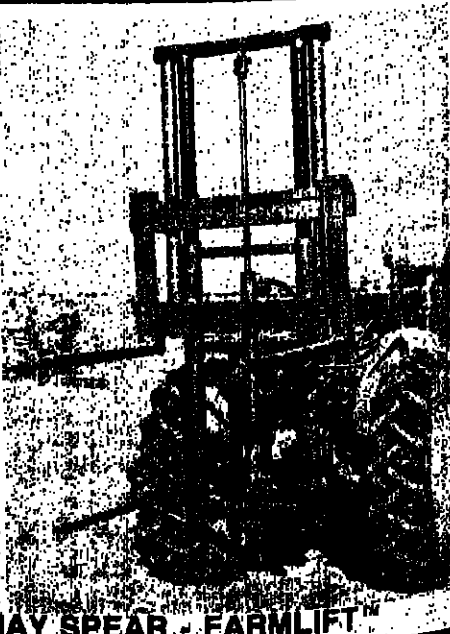
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Northeast Texas Limousin Sale at Paris, May 7

Paris, Texas - The Northeast Texas Limousin Association Sale will be held Saturday, May 7, 1983. Sale time is 12:30 p.m. at the Lamar County Fairgrounds at Paris, Texas. Lunch will be available.

Selling will be 75 lots of percentage and fullblood Limousin cattle. For information contact Charles Rollins, Sale Manager and Auctioneer, 3854 Race St., Fort Worth, Texas 76111, 817/838-0819.

Zuber Limousin's First Sale Averages \$1171

(CONT. FROM PAGE 8B)
Nine fullblood females went for a \$2900 average, 36 purebred pairs \$1843, 32 bred purebreds \$852, also bred three-quarters \$655, and 25 bulls \$514. Top selling lot of the day was WIC Penelope 281L, a fullblood daughter of

the Innocente cow that was purchased by JTPK Limousin of Houston, for \$4150. Another fullblood female, a daughter of 2 Hanchon av Hagada, was the second top seller at \$3800. Buyer was Master Key Place, Fullerton, MO. Coming in for a close third was a 1977 Eclair daughter that brought \$3700 from Bingham Limousin of Justin.

Gary Frazier of Abilene paid \$1850 for the top selling bull, a Feb. 1978 son of Fanfaran.

American Cattle Services managed the sale and Sonny Booth and Bruce Brooks were the auctioneers.

Brushy Creek Limousin Has \$5500 Top On Pair

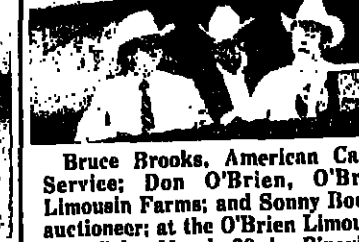
Brushy Creek Limousin Ranch had a top of \$5500 on a purebred daughter of Eclair with bull calf at side by WRC Pigalle at their production sale, April 18 in Waxahatchie, TX. The 1977 model cow sold to Stark Limousin of Midlothian, TX, for \$3100 and Jack Tray of Chattanooga, OK, took the calf at \$2400.



Wyman Poe, manager of Bates Limousin Ranch, Konawa, OK, welcomes the crowd to the Bates Bull Sale, March 24.

The pairs with their calves split off were the strong part of the sale. A 1976 Bandito daughter sold to Richard Wood of California, for \$2900 and her Pigalle heifer calf went to Rudy Roderique of OK, for \$2600. Paul Lander of Canton, OK, gave \$2450 for a Eclair daughter with her heifer by Chardonnay going to Jack Tray at \$1550.

In the bull sale, Ken Harsh, Cassidy, KS, took the top two bulls, a July 1980 son of Crusader at \$1900 and a Dec. 1980 son of B C Beaujolais 06K at \$1850.



Bruce Brooks, American Cattle Service; Don O'Brien, O'Brien Limousin Farms; and Sonny Booth, auctioneer; at the O'Brien Limousin Bull Sale, March 20 in Pineville, MO.

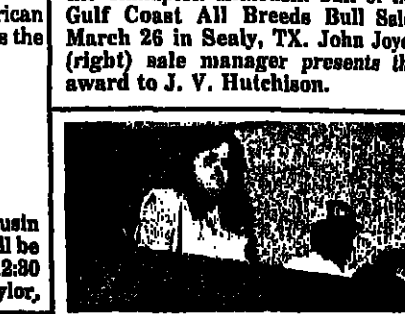
The 110 lots totaled \$145,700 to average \$1325.

Texas Limousin Assn. Spring Harvest Sale Set for April 30

Taylor, TX - The Texas Limousin Association Spring Harvest Sale will be held April 30, 1983. Sale time is 12:30 p.m. at the S & S Ranch at Taylor.



J. V. Hutchison, Dilley, TX, had the champion Limousin bull of the Gulf Coast All Breeds Bull Sale, March 26 in Sealy, TX. John Joyce (right) sale manager presents the award to J. V. Hutchison.



Jim and James Esale of Campbellton, were the volume buyers at the Hutchinson Limousin Production Sale, April 17 in Luling.



Mr. & Mrs. Homer DeFord of Duncanville, were volume buyers at the Zuber Limousin Sale, April 15 in Crawford, TX.



Mrs. Ray Jensen of Jensen Ranch and manager Tom Tate purchased several lots at the Zuber Limousin Production Sale, April 15 in Crawford.

Texas, Sale day phone is 512/852-8476.

Selling will be 4-Full French Hard Bull Prospects, 10 Percentage and Purebred Bulls, 11 Purebred Cows with Calves and Rebred, 9 Purebred Spring Calving Cows, 14 84 Cows with calves, 10 Open Purebred Heifers and 15 Fall born Show Steer Prospects.

Sale chairman is Cecil Johnson. Sale headquarters will be the Texas Inn, Taylor, Texas 512/852-8292.

For information contact the sale manager and auctioneer, Charles Rollins, 3854 Race Street, Fort Worth, Texas 76111, 817/838-0819.

Limousine Farms Club Calf Sale Aves. \$620

Limousine Farms, Inc. First Annual Club Calf & Heifer Sale was held April 17 at the ranch near Rogers, TX, with the 71 lots going for \$44,085 to average \$620.

Twelve bulls averaged \$1087, 18 heifers \$617, and 48 steers \$492.

Charles Rollins was the auctioneer.

Oklahoma Limousin Super Bull Test Sale Set April 30

Stillwater, Okla. The Oklahoma Limousin Breeders Association "Super Bull Test Sale" will be held Saturday, April 30, 1983. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. at the OBI Test Station at Stillwater, Okla.

Selling will be 35 of the highest indexing Limousin Bulls. The offering is all purebred. Complete performance information on all bulls selling will be available sale day.

For information contact the sale manager, American Cattle Services, Inc., Rt. 1 Chattanooga, Okla.

North East Texas Limousin Association SALE

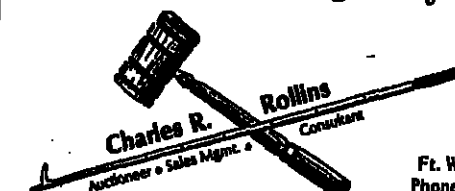
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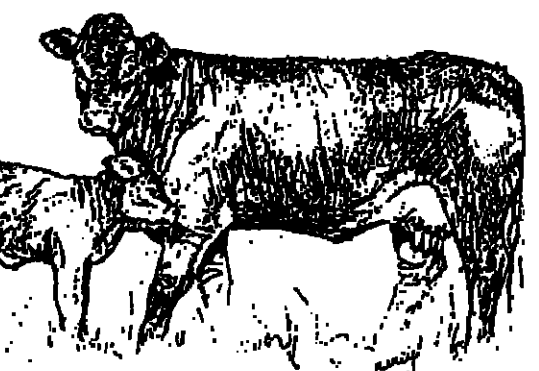
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SPTZ 324	Gib 177K	828	Camaval	4-01-81	80	605	5 1/2	1023
SPTZ 307	Gib 177K	112	Camaval	4-06-81	95	538	5 1/2	840
SPTZ 309	Innovator	74	Gendarme	6-15-81	80	454	5 1/2	880
SPTZ 311	Innovator	74	Gendarme	6-15-81	98	577	6	979
SPTZ 422	Gib 177K	123	Camaval	6-14-81	75	627	4 1/2	1045
SPTZ 423	Gendarme	1	Email	6-14-81	75	530	5	945
SPTZ 424	Gendarme	1	Email	6-15-81	90	590	6 1/2	1008

TATTOO	SIRE	NO.	DAM	BIRTHDATE	B. WT.	WEANING	YEARLING	18 MONTH
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SPTZ 425	Gib 177K	54	Gendarme	7-13-81	65	480	4	919
SPTZ 426	Gib 177K	54	Gendarme	7-13-81	85	449	4 1/2	875
SPTZ 427	Innovator	74	Gendarme	7-21-81	90	487	5 1/2	941
SPTZ 428	Innovator	74	Gendarme	7-31-81	95	462	5 1/2	986
SPTZ 429	Innovator	74	Gendarme	7-26-81	80	467	5 1/2	951
SPTZ 430	Innovator	16	Gendarme	8-03-81	85	453	6	918
SPTZ 431	Innovator	16	Gendarme	8-03-81	85	453	6	918
SPTZ 432	Gib 177K	112	Camaval	9-30-81	80	490	5 1/2	830
SPTZ 433	Innovator	129	Eclair	9-07-81	90	548	7 1/2	1119
SPTZ 434	Innovator	129	Eclair	9-11-81	90	517	6 1/2	1114
SPTZ 435	Innovator	84	Gendarme	9-23-81	80	460	5	829
SPTZ 436	Innovator	830	Gendarme	9-14-81	90	544	6	944
SPTZ 437	Innovator	830	Gendarme	9-14-81	85	563	5 1/2	723
SPTZ 438	Innovator	830	Gendarme	9-16-81	90	508	6	958
SPTZ 439	Innovator	830	Gendarme	9-28-81	75	567	7	1183
SPTZ 440	Innovator	830	Gendarme	9-23-81	80	481	6	851
SPTZ 441	Innovator	830	Gendarme	9-23-81	85	478	6	872
SPTZ 442	Innovator	830	Gendarme	9-23-81	80	477	5 1/2	960
SPTZ 443	Innovator	830	Gendarme	9-23-81	80	468	5 1/2	971
SPTZ 444	Innovator	830	Gendarme	9-23-81	80	443	6	990
SPTZ 445	Innovator	830	Gendarme	9-23-81	80	502	6	978
SPTZ 446	Innovator	830	Gendarme	9-23-81	80	565	6	976
SPTZ 447	Innovator	830	Gendarme	9-23-81	80	568	7 1/2	980
SPTZ 448	Innovator	830	Gendarme	9-23-81	80	545	6	967
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SPTZ 457	Innovator	830	Gendarme	9-23-81	75	513	7	1033
SPTZ 458	Innovator	830	Gendarme	9-23-81	75	432	5	875
SPTZ 459	Innovator	830	Gendarme	9-23-81	75	509	5 1/2	829
SPTZ 460	Innovator	830	Gendarme	9-23-81	70	494	6	925

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SPTZ 461	Delator Slick	354	Verdine	11-01-81	90	547	6	1063
SPTZ 462	Innovator	121	Camaval	11-24-81	95	588	8	1200
SPTZ 463	Innovator	54	Gendarme	11-29-81	85	585	6	1030
SPTZ 464	Innovator	54	Gendarme	12-08-81	85	629	6	1094
SPTZ 465	Innovator	840	Gendarme	12-08-81	85	576	6 1/2	1024
SPTZ 466	Delator Slick	74	Gendarme	11-20-81	85	566	7	1080
SPTZ 467	Innovator	129	Eclair	12-08-81	85	638	6	1090
SPTZ 468	Gib 177K	129	Camaval	12-04-81	75	577	5 1/2	1008

Cow 112 - Bull brother to Spitz Bar, sold to McKinn & Baker for \$45,000
Cow 133 - Sold to Yachley/CNC for \$30,000
Cow 830 - Sold to Baker & McKinn for \$22,000
Cow 74 - Sold to Bingham for \$12,000
Cow 805 - Sold to Baker for \$19,500
Cow 84 - Sold to Weyral for \$17,000
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Louisiana Limousin Association Sale at Alexandria, May 21

Alexandria, LA - The Louisiana Limousin Association Sale will be held Saturday, May 21, 1983. Sale time is 12:30 p.m. at the LSU Deane Lee Agriculture Center at Alexandria, LA. Selling will be 75 lots of percentage and fullblood Limousin cattle. Sale headquarters will be the Best Western in Alexandria. Sale chairman is Bobby Broussard, 818/463-4014. For information contact Charles Rollins, Sale Manager and Auctioneer, 8854 Race St., Fort Worth, Texas 76111, 817/388-0819.

Limousin Events Coming Up

April 22 - Oklahoma Hills Production Sale, Madill, OK
April 23 - Little's Hilltop Ranch Limousin Production Sale, Mt. Pleasant, TX
April 24 - Pfau Limousin Production Sale, Florence, TX
April 30 - Oklahoma "Super Bull" Test Sale, OSU, Stillwater, OK
May 1 - Double A Livestock Limousin Sale, Meta, MO
May 6 - "Galaxy of Stars" Limousin Sale, Chelsea, OK
May 7 - Five Star Alliance Limousin Sale, Gravette, AR
May 7 - N.E. Texas Limousin Sale, Paris, TX

May 14 - TEXS Limousin Production Sale, New Braunfels, TX
May 14 - Twin Hills Farm Limousin Production Sale, Covington, GA
May 21 - Louisiana Limousin Association Consignment Sale, Alexandria, LA
May 21 - North Alabama Invitational Limousin Sale, Cullman, AL
May 21 - North Texas Classic, Justin, TX
May 28 - O'Brien Farms Limousin Production Sale, Pineville, MO
May 30 - Atlanta Invitational Purebred Limousin Sale, Atlanta, GA
June 4 - Bishop Boys Limousin Production Sale, Winters, TX
June 5 - Holcomb Cow Sale, Stanton, TX
June 6 - Lone Star Cow Sale, Luling, TX
June 11 - Homer Rodgers Limousin Production Sale, Jackboro, TX
June 17 - National Junior Heifer Show, 8 a.m., Joe & Harry Freeman Coliseum, San Antonio, TX
June 18 - Spotlight Fullblood Female Sale, San Antonio, TX
June 26 - Le Shangri-La La Femme Limousin Sale, Shangri-La Resort, Afton, OK

Hutchinson Limousin Average \$1106

J.V. & Pat Hutchinson, along with son Terry held their Limousin Production sale, April 17 at the Luling Livestock Auction Market in Luling, TX. The 79 lots totaled \$87,365 for an overall average of \$1106.

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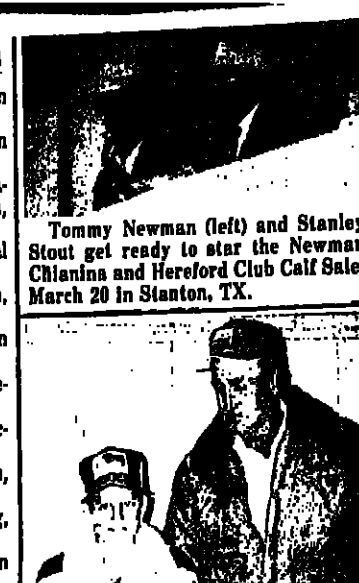


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James Thompson (left) and Stanley Stout get ready to star the Newman Chianina and Hereford Club Calf Sale, March 20 in Stanton, TX.

Fifteen bulls averaged \$1282, six purebred pairs \$1429, 11 1/2 pairs \$1324, three bred purebred \$1050, nine bred 1/2's \$909, 12 bred 1/4's \$812, four open purebreds \$781, two open 1/2's \$800, and two open 1/4's \$650.

Top selling bull of the sale was a June 1981 son of Gandarme that went to Elliott Ranch of Three Rivers, for \$1800. Topping the female part of the sale were several pairs with their calves split off and sold separately. James Essie of Campbellton, took the top sale, a Dec. 1976 81 Tigre daughter at \$1375. Joe Kutch, took \$700 for her July 1982 heifer calf.

Coffman Field Day Draws Top Speakers

The Coffman Cattle Company held a "Brahman Influence-Laying the Genetic Foundation" field day April 2 at the ranch, near Italy, TX. The ranch hosted the seminar to benefit breeders looking for new ways to improve the quality of their herds.

The field day and seminar began with a viewing of the ranch and the cattle operation. Speakers for the day were ABBA Executive Vice-President Wendell E. Schrock with a discussion on the use of the Brahman base in crossbreeding and purebred operations. Rob Brown, Jr. of the R.A. Brown Ranch in Tarrant County, TX, spoke on the use of Simbrah cattle. Harold Brunley of the Custer B Ranch in Austin, TX, talked on the breeding up with Brangus system. Mike Levi of the Paleface Ranch in Spicewood, TX spoke on the development of the Red Brangus breed.

Drake Laddy, CPA and partner in Arthur Andersen and Company of San Antonio, TX gave some sound advice for ranchers concerning the financial edge at tax time. Thomas D. Coffman of the Coffman Cattle Company concluded the speakers list with an outline on the excellence they strive for in their breeding program.

The seminar also included a tour of the embryo transfer facility, noted as one of the most successful in the state. Also on display were some select cattle to be offered in the ranch's upcoming sale on April 18. Brahman sire offspring from Brangus, Red Brangus, and Simbrah breeders were also viewed by the field day attendance.

Small frame 1, 300-400 lbs. 64.00-71.00; Small frame 2, 300-400 lbs. 62.00-67.50. Bulls - medium & large frame 1, 300-400 lbs. 70.00-77.50; 400-500 lbs. 67.00-73.00. Heifers - medium & large frame 1, 300-400 lbs. 62.50-68.50; pkg. thin 320 lbs. 69.00. Small frame 1, & medium frame 2, 300-500 lbs. 57.00-62.50. Yearling steers - medium & large frame 1, 500-600 lbs. 65.00-72.00; frame 2, 500-600 lbs. 66.00-69.75. Cows - medium & large frame 1, 500-600 lbs. 65.50. Heifers 2, Holsteins, 630 lbs. 65.50. Heifers - medium & large frame 1, & medium frame 2, 500-700 lbs. 55.00-60.00. Cows replacements - medium frame 1, 3-4 year old 700-1000 lb. 45.00-49.00. Cow-calf pairs - medium frame 1, 3-7 year old 750-1000 lb. cows with 100-200 lb. calves at side 480.00-535.00 per pair. Slaughter cows - breaking utility 2-3 35.50-42.00; boning utility 1-2 39.00-44.00; high dressing 44.00-45.50; individual high dressing Chianina 1155 lbs. 48.25; cutter 1-2 35.00-40.00; sanner & low dressing cutter 22.00-38.00. Bulls & low dressing 1, 1000-1450 lbs. 47.50-52.50; individual high dressing 54.00.

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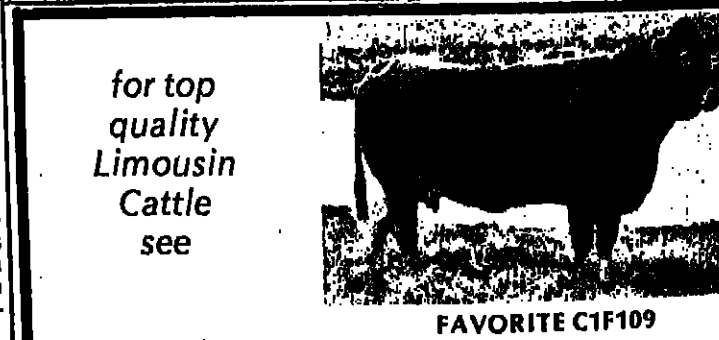
One hundred and one lots of chub calves totaled \$82,205 for an average of \$814 in the Southern Oklahoma Select Calf Sale, April 9 in Durant, OK. Top calf of the sale was a Chianina-Angus cross that brought \$4200. Glen T. Farris managed the sale and Steve Bonham was the auctioneer.

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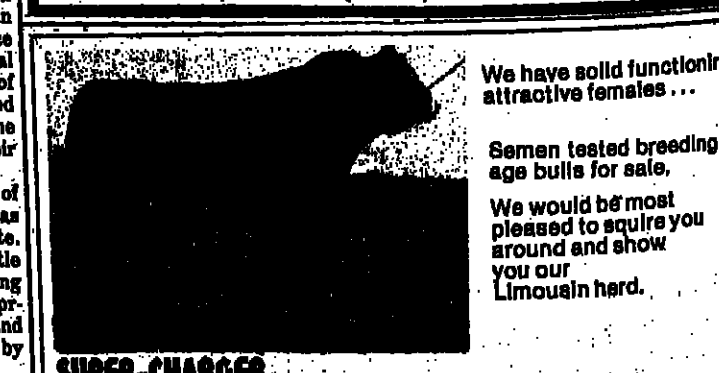
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Louisiana Shorthorn Sale At Ruston Set For April 30

Ruston, La. - The Louisiana Shorthorn and Milking Shorthorn Association Spring Sale will be held Saturday, April 30, 1983. Sale time is 11:00 a.m. at the Louisiana Tech Herd Farm at Ruston, La. Selling will be 55 lots including 16 bulls, 16 heifers (bred and open), 13 cow/calf pairs and 11 bred cows.

For information contact the sale managers, Double D Auction Service, Rt. 1, Box 203, Waskom, Texas 75692, or Jack Dillard 214/687-2220 or 687-2222, or James Duncan, 214/687-3346 or 687-2412.

Texas Shorthorn Association Spring Sale Set For May 14

Waxahachie, Texas - The Texas Shorthorn Association Spring Sale will be held Saturday, May 14, 1983. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. at the Ellis County Fairgrounds in Waxahachie, Texas. Selling will be 80 lots including 12 bulls, 25 pairs, 12 bred females and 15 open heifers from leading bulls and females of the Shorthorn breed.

For information contact the Texas Shorthorn Association, Otis Lowe, Obe Lionberger or Jim Cato, Sale committee, P.O. Box 487, Whitney, Texas 76892, 817/694-9445.

Ablene Monday

Ablene, Tx., Apr. 18 (F-S) - Receipts 1,400. Slaughter cows 3.00-4.00 lower; bulls steady to 1.00 lower. Feeder steers and bulls mostly 2.00-3.00 lower; feeder heifers 1.00-2.00 lower; cow calf pairs about 20.00 per pair lower; replacement cows about 38.00-45.50; slaughter cows: utility 2-3 38.00-45.50; cutter 1-2 38.00-41.00. Bulls: yield grade 1-2 1200-1600 lbs. 45.50-57.00. Feeder steers and bulls: medium and large frame no. 1: 200-300 lbs.

83.00-97.00, 300-400 lbs. 70.00-83.00, 400-500 lbs. 67.50-78.00, 500-600 lbs. 65.00-71.00, 600-700 lbs. 64.00-68.00. Small frame no. 1: 300-550 lbs. 55.00-64.00. Medium frame no. 2: 350-500 lbs. 59.00-66.00. Medium and large frame no. 1 bulls: 400-600 lbs. 60.00-67.50, 600-900 lbs. 52.50-63.00. Heifers: medium and large frame no. 1: 300-300 lbs. 55.00-69.00, 300-400 lbs. 50.00-58.00, 400-500 lbs. 58.00-63.50, 500-600 lbs. 57.00-63.00, 600-700 lbs. 54.00-62.00. Small frame no. 1: 300-500 lbs. 53.00-60.00. Medium frame no. 2: 300-500 lbs. 56.00-61.00. Medium and large frame no. 1: 700-950 lb. heiferettes 51.00-56.00.

Young to middle aged medium frame no. 1-2 cows with baby to 200 lb. calves at side 400.00-575.00 per pair. Young to middle aged medium frame no. 1-2 pregnancy tested 650-950 lb. replacement cows 42.00-50.00. Few middle aged to aged cows 37.00-42.00.

Kansas Country Feeders

Dodge City, Apr. 14 (USDA) - Trade uneven, slow to moderate. Feeder steers firm to 1.00 higher, instances 2.00-3.00 up on 600-975 lbs. Feeder heifers firm to 2.00 higher. Not enough calves to test market. Most of native grass pastures in Flint Hills area have been leased. Bloat continues to be a problem on wheat pasture and some feeders pulled off temporarily in face of extremely wet weather conditions. Sales confirmed on 4,800 feeder steers and 2,400 feeder heifers.

Feeder steers - medium frame no. 1 600-850 lbs. 68.50-72.50; 700-850 lbs. 67.00-69.00, fleshy 65.50; delivered 65.75-70.00. 65.00-68.50; contracts - May 700-825 lbs. 65.50-67.00. Large frame no. 2 Holsteins 690-950 lbs. 55.35-56.00 later price paid for 690 lb. weights. Heifers - medium frame no. 1 550-700 lbs. 63.00-66.00 including fleshy to 65.00; delivered 560-625 lbs. 65.50-68.50; contracts - June 600-650 lbs. 62.00; delivered May 600-625 lbs. 61.90; July-August 550-700 lbs. 60.85.

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Polled Hereford NEWS

by RAY MAHAN
TPHA
Secretary-Manager



We wonder sometimes about why we raise purebred cattle, why we participate in shows, why we become members of breed associations. The answer to that may be enormous but, think about this quote and a lot of answers come quick. The new membership drive that we are starting won't work unless you support it, our buckle sale won't work unless you support it, and the TPHA won't work unless you support it. The TPHA is now the only full time State Association maintaining management & consultant office in the Polled Hereford breed. You know that's something to brag about and to keep bragging about and I know we will.

A TPHA member called me the other day after he had read through his Feb. Newsletter and said "Ray, what in the world is going on", I said "what do you mean", and his reply was "well everything in this newsletter is so damn positive I wanted to get on the train too". That's right, we all should be positive about our business, I am and I just work here, so I know that you can. Just think, we can't get any less of our bulls so they have got to go up in price, the spring is on us and the grass looks like heaven, commercial cattlemen need cows to stock their pastures and bulls to breed their cows, and the Polled Hereford is one of the best base breeds for the Hot and heavy F-1 program now going on.

I'm positive, are you?

The TPHA Annual Preview show will be held in Canton, Texas, June 2nd & 4th at the Van Zandt Co. Fairgrounds. Friday night the 3rd will be the annual election of officers and awards banquet. All juniors interested in participating or joining need to contact the TPHA office for information.

concerning this. If any of you have junior news don't hesitate to call, write, or scribble it to us for this column.

Thanks, Ray Mahan

Green's Polled Hereford Sale Set For May 9

Dubach, La. Green's Polled Hereford Farm Production Sale will be held Monday, May 9, 1983. Sale time is 12:30 p.m. at Dubach, La.

Selling will be 80 lots including 10 bulls, 40 cow/calf pairs and 10 bred heifers.

For information contact Green's Polled Hereford Farm, Dubach, La. 74205. Maxwell Green 318/777-8780 residence or 777-3420 office; or Dr. William Green, 318/777-8756 residence or 777-8825 office; or the sale manager, National Cattle Services, Inc., Drawer G, Elgin, Okla. 73638, 405/492-4590.

IN GENERAL, mankind, since the improvement of cookery, eats twice as much as nature requires.

POLLED HEREFORD DATES

May 7 - Texas Classic '83 Polled Hereford Sale, Meridian, Tx.

May 8 - 5-Star Polled Hereford Sale, Hillsboro, Tx.

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80% L&W 348 J18, calving Dec. 13, 1976, by 80% Victor 343 and out of 80% Lady 713 4702. Heifer calf at side by 80% Victor 1108.



71 VICTOR 348 J18, calving Jan. 5, 1977, by 40% Victor 168 348 and out of NW Victor 7110 1143. Heifer calf at side by 80% Victor 1108. Sale bred to NW Victor 7110 1143.



80% VICTOR 605, calving March 11, 1978, by 80% Victor 405 and out of 80% Victor 1108. Heifer calf at side by 80% Victor 1108.



80% VICTOR 119 614, calving March 24, 1980, by NW Victor 119 and out of NW Victor 1108 1143. Heifer calf at side by 80% Victor 1108.



80% VICTOR 403 B&G, calving April 21, 1980, by 80% Victor 375 403 and out of NW Victor 7110 1143. Heifer calf at side by 80% Victor 1108.



80% VICTOR 1108 B&G, calving April 9, 1975, by 71% Victor 880 and out of 71% B&G 1108 1143. Heifer calf at side by 80% Victor 1108.



71 VICTOR 348 J18, calving Feb. 8, 1978, by 80% Victor 343 and out of NW Victor 7110 1143. Heifer calf at side by 80% Victor 1108.



80% VICTOR 605, calving April 19, 1980, by NW Victor 119 and out of NW Victor 1108 1143. Heifer calf at side by 80% Victor 1108.



80% VICTOR 1108 B&G, calving May 20, 1981, by 80% Victor 1108 and out of NW Victor 1108 1143. Heifer calf at side by 80% Victor 1108.

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777-3420, office
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New TPHA Director Appointed

At the TPHA board meeting March 5th in Rio Vista, Everett Bauldin of Huntsville was appointed to the TPHA Board of Directors. Mr. Bauldin was selected from the geographical area of deep east Texas to replace Fred Porch of Houston who resigned as of this meeting. Mr. Bauldin is very happy to be able to serve Polled Hereford breeders and is looking forward to his stay as a director.

TPHA Plans Membership Drive

The TPHA & Pollettes board of directors met March 5th in Rio Vista at the TPHA office building. During this meeting a membership drive for TPHA & the Pollettes was organized for the coming year. Formation of a new award for this drive was decided and planned for the drive. The award will be given each year at our annual banquet in Fort Worth. To achieve this award any member of the TPHA who is instrumental in signing up three new TPHA members will be awarded a class winner pin and inducted into the Grand Champion Club. For those members signing up more than three, special awards will be made, with the leader in membership sign ups being named the Grand Champion of the year's membership drive and will receive a very special award for his or her work.

This is one of the most positive things we have going for the TPHA today so get out and find new members. Lists of prospective members can be obtained from the TPHA office or your area directors. They will be great and you can make it work!

Martin Brothers SS Polled Hereford Sale Set April 22

Granite, Okla. Martin Brothers and SS Polled Hereford have set the "Horizon '83" Polled Hereford Sale for Friday, April 22, 1983. Sale time is 4:00 p.m. at the Martin Brothers Polled Hereford, 6 miles north and 1 mile west of Granite, Oklahoma.

Selling will be 90 lots including 60 pairs, 24 bred and open heifers and 6 herd bull prospects.

Other consignors are Haygood Polled Hereford, Strawn Polled Hereford and Matt C. Sims.

Auctioneers are Eddie Sims and Jim Birdwell.

For information contact Martin Brothers Polled Hereford, Jerry Martin, Rt. 1, Granite, Oklahoma 73547, 405/635-3271 or SS Ranch, A.J. Smith, Rt. 2, Lone Wolf, Okla. 73665, 405/846-5628; or the Sale Management, National Cattle Services, Inc., Drawer G, Elgin, Oklahoma 73638, 405/492-4590.

TPHA Summer Tour

The TPHA Summer Tour dates have been finalized for June 4, 5, 6. Tour cut has not been calculated yet but, will be in the April Newsletter. This tour promises to be the best yet so, everyone needs to make reservations now!

Following is the agenda for the Tour: Sat. June 4th

*11:00 a.m. Junior Preview Show, Canton, Texas.
*Buses leave from show to Kilgore, Tx. to visit replica East Texas Oil boom town. From Kilgore on to Marshall, checking in at the Ramada Inn at 7:00 p.m. Sat. night.
*8:00 p.m. Don and Ruby Hawthorne's for evening meal & Pollette Auction & other activities.

Sunday June 5th
*8:00 a.m. George Stahl ranch, 11:30 a.m. leave for Bosler City, La. for special TPHA dedicated race at Louisiana Downs. We will have reserved seats and a (CONT. ON PAGE 15B)

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5-Star Polled Hereford Sale Set For May 8

Hillsboro, TX - The Annual 5-Star Polled Hereford Sale will be held May 8, 1983 at the Simpson Polled Hereford Ranch at Hillsboro, Texas.

Texas Classic '83 Polled Hereford Sale Set for May 7

Meridian, TX - The Texas Classic '83 Polled Hereford Sale will be held Saturday, May 7, 1983. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. at the Meridian Creek Ranch at Meridian, Texas.

This traditional Polled Hereford sale will feature an outstanding selection of Polled Hereford cattle from some of the top breeders in Texas.

Participants in this sale are Dulick Stock Farm, Harry and Doreen Dulick, 817/835-2426, Larry Campbell, Mgr. 817/835-4947; Meridian Creek Ranch, Jim and Ramona Upfield, 214/747-2197; office: Bill Glass, Mgr. 817/897-2276; G. Tufts & Sons, Bill Tufts 817/682-7026 or Gilbert Tufts 817/682-8988; and Flying Bar C Ranch, 817/488-8070.

The sale is managed by the Texas Polled Hereford Association, Ray Mahan, Sec. Manager, Box 70, Rio Vista, TX 76093, 817/873-2524.

Members Receive Free Listing TPHA Directory

A free directory listing will be granted to all paid up members of TPHA for the New 1983 Directory. All members are urged to submit any changes in their listing from the 1982 directory. Also all members who are not paid up by March 1 on dues will not be listed in the Directory. There are still quite a few pages left for sale in directory advertisement so contact the TPHA for your farm ad also. The TPHA Directory is the largest State Polled Hereford Directory of its kind and will prove to be the best advertisement you can buy.

Special Polled Hereford Belt Buckle

A special 24K gold plated numbered edition belt buckle is now on sale from any TPHA or Pollette director or from the TPHA office. Only 100 of these buckles large and small will be sold. The buckle will sell for \$100.00 and all profits from the buckle will be used for sponsorship of the Polled Hereford Nationals to be held in Fort Worth, January of 1985. This money raising activity will aid in making the Texas Nationals a memorable occasion for all those who attend & participate. Call now for your number edition of this buckle: it's nice!

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TPHA Summer Tour (CONT. FROM PAGE 14B)

special trophy will be presented to the race winner by a TPHA member selected through a raffle. 8:00 p.m. back in Marshall at Ramada Inn. Open night with some activity yet to be planned.

Auctioneers will be Eddie Sims and Jim Birdwell.

For information and catalogs contact the Texas Polled Hereford Association, Ray Mahan, P.O. Box 70, Rio Vista, Texas 76093, 817/873-2524.

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For Information Contact:
TEXAS POLLED HEREFORD ASSOCIATION - P.O. Box 70 - Rio Vista, Texas 76093
Ray Mahan - Secretary-Manager - 817/373-2524

Dolch Polled Hereford Springtime Festival Set For April 30

Anadarko, Okla.—The Dolch Polled Hereford Springtime Festival Sale will be held Saturday, April 30, 1983. The sale will be at 12:00 noon at the ranch at Anadarko, Oklahoma.

Selling will be 85 lots including 75 cow/calf pairs and 10 bulls. For information contact Dolch Polled Herefords, Rt. 4, Anadarko, Okla. 73005, 405/247-2307 or 405/453-7938; or the Sale Manager, National Cattle Services, Inc., Drawer G, Elgin, Okla. 73538, 405/492-4590.

TPHA and the TSCRA

On March 20-22, the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association

\$45,000 Heifer Futurity

The TPHA is now a qualified heifer nominator for Polled Hereford heifers for the 1st Garretson Cattle Co. heifer futurity. The futurity will be held in Fredericksburg on July 25-30. Heifers must be nominated by a certified nominator in the State of Texas before

the Annual Convention was held in Austin, Texas. The TPHA was presented at the convention by a booth at the Convention Center manned by TPHA personnel and help from the Rawhide Trail Ranch of Austin.

TPHA directories, APHA posters, and general information about Polled Herefords were distributed to the over 1500 registered participants and TSCRA members. All the major breed associations were represented at the convention with many choices offered the conventioners on breed preferences.

they are eligible to show. Grand Champion heifer heifer will bring \$10,000.00 for 2-3 top honors. Each breed will be divided in two classes and will show for breed champion honors of \$1000.00. This is a step in the right direction to stimulate heifer sales in the State and promises to be a very successful event.

Polled Herefords need to be represented, so if you are interested, contact Ray Mahan at the TPHA office 817/873-2524.

Kopper Penny Polled Herefords Top Kilgore College Bull Test

Kopper Penny Ranch, Inc., Cooper, Texas, consigned the high-indexing Polled Hereford to the recently completed Kilgore College Bull Test, Overton, Texas. Sired by JBS Vie Jogger 102, the winner completed the 140-day feed test with the performance to rank him 18 percent above the 23 Polled Herefords on test. He posted an average daily gain (ADG) of 8.68 lb., yearling weight of 1,085 lb., and weight per day of age (WDA) of 2.84 lb.

The number one Polled Hereford sire group was consigned by B.F. Little, Willis Point, Texas. This trio of T&S Gilead 7716 sons had an average ADG of 3.25 lb., average yearling weight of 988 lb., and average WDA of 2.64. The number two individual Polled Hereford in the rankings was consigned by Johnny Bagley, Henderson, Texas. His entry, BCF Vectors Banner, beat the average by more than 17 percent with an ADG of 8.84 lb., yearling weight of 1,060 lb., and WDA of 2.84 lb.

A bull's performance on feed test is an indication of his ability to sire growthy, efficient calves for the feedlot. In recognition of these bulls' superior performance, the winners have been awarded plaques by the American Polled Hereford Association, Kansas City, Mo.

Polled Hereford Perspective '83 Coming in June

You won't want to miss "Perspective '83"—four big events planned to give Polled Hereford breeders a clear, up-to-date overview of their place in the industry. Putting the APHA Sire Summary, marketing programs and the future of Polled Herefords in perspective, these programs will feature specially tailored programs geared to the Polled Hereford breed.

"Perspective '83" will set the stage June 8 in Clay Center, Neb., where

Most Grain Futures Up, Except Wheat In Monday's Trade

Minneapolis, Apr. 18 (F-S) — Chicago Board of Trade Futures: Monday Settlement change.

Wheat	Change
May	345 1/4 - 8 1/4
Jul	358 1/4 - 2 1/4
Sep	368 - 2 1/4
Dec	388 1/4 - 1 1/4
Mar	398 - 1 1/4
Corn	
May	310 1/4 - 1/4
Jul	315 + 1/4
Sep	308 1/4 + 1/4
Dec	301 1/4 + 1/4
Mar	309 1/4 + 1/4
Oats	
May	168 1/4 + 1/4
Jul	170 1/4 + 1/4
Sep	167 1/4 + 1/4
Dec	167 1/4 + 1/4
Mar	200 1/4 + 1/4
Soybeans	
May	624 1/4 + 1 1/4
Jul	641 1/4 + 2 1/4
Sep	647 1/4 + 3 1/4
Dec	655 + 5
Nov	688 + 4 1/4
Jan	679 1/4 + 4 1/4
Mar	688 + 4 1/4
Soybean Meal	
May	184.80 + 80
Jul	185.70 + 80
Sep	189.10 + 90
Oct	195.50 + 1.20

Feeders Open Steady At Oklahoma City

Oklahoma City, Apr. 18 (USDA) — Receipts 2,200. Feeder steers and heifers steady. Slaughter cows mostly 1.00 lower, bulls firm to 50 cents higher. Feeder steers; medium few large frame 1 300-400 lb. 75.75-79.75; 400-500 lb. 73.00-77.75; 500-600 lb. 68.50-73.10; 600-850 lb. 67.40-69.10; 700-800 lb. 68.70-68.80; package 842 lb. 65.25. Medium and large frame mixed 1-2 70.00-72.25; package 679 lb. 65.10. Feeder heifers; medium frame 1 few 220-287 lb. 65.75-69.75; 340-390 lb. 68.50-64.10; small lot 442 lb. 62.00; 500-600 lb. 61.00-63.20; package 840 lb. 62.80. Small frame 1 few 810-400 lb. 60.25-60.75. Medium and large frame mixed 1-2 840-880 lb. 63.00; 400-500 lb. 61.00-62.10; 500-600 lb. 60.10-61.25; breeders will get a first-hand look at the U.S. Meat Animal Research Center's work proving the efficiency of Polled Hereford-cross cows. From there, Perspective moves to Dunwalke Farm, Far Hills, N.J., on June 11; to Middle Tennessee State University, Murfreesboro, Tenn., on June 17; and finally to the Oregon State Fairgrounds in Salem, Ore., on June 26.

The "Marketing in Perspective" segment will include planned salesmanship, the philosophies of effective marketing, planning advertising programs, ad design and placement and livestock photography. "Polled Hereford Future in Perspective" will explore where the breed fits in the beef industry, the important role Polled Herefords play in crossbreeding systems and plotting a course for the breed. "Sire Summary in Perspective" will stress the impact this tool has had and will have on the breed. This discussion will cover the use and interpretation of the Sire Summary, as well as how to employ this valuable tool in building pedigrees and planning breeding programs.

This event should be a "must attend" on the calendar of every Polled Hereford breeder and interested cattleman. The American Polled

package 628 lb. 60.50. Medium and large frame mixed 1-2 67.00-68.30; 600-590 lb. 63.00-55.50. Slaughter cows; utility and commercial 2-3 42.40-42.90; low-dressing and Y 3-4 40.80-41.10; cutters 1-2 38.75-42.25; canners and low cutters 35.70-38.70. Bulls: Yg 1 1300-1500 lb. 51.50-50.00; pkg. 1030 lb. 50.00; couple head 1600-1800 lb. 55.00. Pairs: medium frame 1 middle-aged cows with 175-275 lb. calves at side 615.00 per pair. Replacement and/or feeder cows; small and medium frame 1-2 young 44.50-45.00; middle-aged 39.80-42.50; aged 34.75-37.50. Hogs 900, 75 cents to 1.00 lower. US 1-2 210-260 lb. 48.20-48.80. US 1-3 200-275 lb. 45.30-46.10. Sows steady to 50 cents lower. US 3 470-800 lb. 44.60-47.10. Boars: over 300 lb. 37.60-38.90; 200-270 lb. 36.70-39.70, one 190 lb. at 39.80. Feeder pigs: under 100 lb. 5.00-10.00 higher; over 100 lb. scarce. (108 head). US 1 80 lb. 93.00. US 1-3 80-50 lb. 75.25-84.25. US 1-3 80-80 lb. 60.10-70.25.

Livestock Slaughter, Meat Production

Washington, Apr. 15 (USDA) — Total red meat production under federal inspection for the week ended 4/16/83 was estimated at 707 million pounds. This was 7% above a week ago, and 7% above a year ago.

Production (Million Lbs.)				
Wk. End.	4/16/83	4/9/83	Chg.	
Beef	395.2	385.8	Up 8%	
Calf	7.0	6.5	Up 8%	
Pork	294.7	278.9	Up 6%	
Lamb	6.9	6.7	Up 3%	
Total	705.8	680.7	Up 7%	
Slaughter (Head)				
Cattle	620,000	574,000	Up 8%	
Calves	59,000	50,000	Up 8%	
Hogs	1707,000	1825,000	Up 6%	
Sheep	118,000	114,000	Up 4%	
Average Weight				
Cattle	1087	644	1090	644
Calves	221	134	218	132
Hogs	241	173	241	173
Sheep	117	69	117	69
Slaughter By Class				
Wk. End.	4/16/83	4/9/83	Chg.	
Cows	19.3	2.3	25.4	48.2
Bulls	18.6	2.3	30.0	49.1
Calves	19.9	2.4	26.8	48.2
Barrows				
4/16/83	94.4	4.4	1.2	
4/9/83	94.9	4.0	1.1	
4/8/82	93.8	4.8	1.4	

C and B Quarter Horse Production Sale Will Be May 15

The C and B Quarter Horse Ranch will hold a production sale, May 15 at the Dub Johnson Arena, six miles North of Decatur, TX, on U.S. Highway 287. The sale will start at 1 p.m. and will feature an offering of 100 head. Selling will be daughters of Blondy's Dude, Mr. Diamond Dude, Skipper's Smoke, Skipador, and Skip One Skip. Included in the sale are yearlings, two-year-olds in training and three-in-one packages. Several mares in foal to a palomino son of Skip A Barb, plus other Palominos, point earners and proven producers. For information contact: David Catelino, P.O. Box 218, Howe, Texas 75859, 409/532-5528, or Carlos Brannett, 214/483-4515.

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3rd Annual Gulf Coast Simmental Association Sale Set For April 30

Brenham, Tx.—The 3rd Annual Gulf Coast Simmental Association Sale will be held Saturday, April 30, 1983. Lunch will be at 1:00 noon with the sale following at 1:30 p.m.

Selling will be 100 lots including Simmental and Simbrah Bulls and Females. The offering is made up of Percentages, purebreds, fullbloods and Simbrahs. This is a Texas Simmental Approved Sale. Auctioneer will be Joe Mitcham. For information contact John Quinn, Sale Chairman, Rt. 2, Box 250, La Grange, Texas 78945, 409/249-3033; Jerry Pelton, President, Gulf Coast Simmental Association, Rt. 2, Box 537, Franklin, Texas 77856, 409/828-4521; Eugene Aubry, Secretary, 3048 Reba, Houston, Texas 77019, 713/524-5438.

February Ag Exports Declined 14% USDA Says, Imports Up

WASHINGTON, April 6.—The Foreign Agricultural Service of the U.S. Department of Agriculture today reported the following recent developments in U.S. agricultural trade:

U.S. agricultural exports during February 1983 totaled \$3.0 billion, down 14 percent from the same month a year earlier and 9 percent less than the January 1983 level. Total agricultural export volume in February of 18.5 million tons was unchanged from the year-earlier level. Lower prices for corn and wheat (compared to February 1982) accounted for some of the decline as export volume for these commodities was above that of the same month a year earlier. For nearly all other commodities export, volume and value were substantially below February a year ago. Export unit values for corn and wheat continued to gain strength in February as they had since the beginning of the current fiscal year.

Total agricultural exports during the first five months (October-February) of fiscal 1983 were valued at \$15.0 billion, down 17 percent from the same period a year earlier. Total agricultural export volume during the first five months of fiscal 1983 totaled 85 million tons, down 7 percent from the year-earlier period. Smaller wheat shipments earlier in the fiscal year accounted for most of the decline.

U.S. exports of wheat in February rose 6 percent in volume from February 1982 to 4.0 million tons, reflecting a large increase in shipments to India. Wheat shipments to China and the USSR were each down about 225,000 tons compared with February 1982. The wheat export unit value in February of \$185.50 per ton was 7 percent lower than a year earlier. The total value of wheat exports for February was down 2 percent. The wheat export volume for October-February of 15.5 million tons was down 17 percent, while value dropped 23 percent to \$2.5 billion.

U.S. corn exports in February increased 10 percent in volume over a year earlier to 4.1 million tons, as larger shipments to Mexico, China, Japan and Korea offset a decline to the Soviet Union, the Netherlands and Spain. The corn export unit value of \$114 per ton was 6 percent lower than a year earlier. The total value of corn exports rose 4 percent over the previous February. Corn export prices had strengthened significantly since October 1982, rising 14 percent. The corn export volume for the first five months of fiscal 1983 was up 1 percent from the year-earlier period to 21.5 million tons, but the value was off 13 percent to \$2.3 billion.

Soybean shipments in February declined 2 percent to 2.4 million tons, with large shipments to Japan, Mexico and other countries. Soybean export prices in February—at \$236.50 per ton—were 8 percent lower than a year earlier. Total soybean export value dropped 10 percent in February compared with a year earlier. Soybean export volume of October-February was unchanged from the year-earlier level of 12.8 million tons, but value was down 18 percent to \$2.8 billion. Export volumes and values were above February a year ago for beef, lamb, pork, feed and feedstuffs and soy-

bean oil, but were down for cotton, rice, grain sorghum, soybean meal, poultry, dairy, horticultural products and sugar and tropical products.

Imports were substantially larger for most commodity groups in February 1983, except horticultural products and seeds, which recorded value declines of 2 and 12 percent, respectively. Livestock imports of \$248 million and sugar and tropical product imports of \$513 million were up 38 and 82 percent, respectively, from February 1982.

For the October 1982-February 1983 period, increases in imports from a year earlier were posted for horticultural products, up 10 percent to \$1.8 billion, livestock, up 20 percent to \$1.3 billion and dairy products, \$286 million up 20 percent. Sugar and tropical product imports declined 8 percent during this period.

TRADE BALANCE
The U.S. agricultural trade surplus in February was \$1.7 billion, up 8 percent from last month but down 28 percent from the \$2.4 billion of February 1982. For the first five months of the current fiscal year, the agricultural trade balance totaled \$8.2 billion, down 30 percent from the same period a year earlier.

Louisiana Saturday

Baton Rouge, Apr. 16 (F-S) — Auctions held at DeQuincy and V. Monroe on Saturday. Cattle 1,108. Slaughter cows mostly steady; bulls firm; feeders steady to 3.00 higher. Slaughter Cows: Utility 1-3 40.00-49.00; cutter 1-2 36.00-42.00. Bulls: Yield grade 1-2 960-1680 lbs. 48.00-53.00. Baby Calves: Southwest Area: 150-220 lb. steers 110.00-125.00; heifers 102.00-107.00. Feeder Steers: Medium frame 1 200-300 lbs. 84.00-90.00; 300-400 lbs. 82.00-85.00, few 72.50-80.00 northern area; 400-500 lbs. 74.00-80.00 few 70.00-74.00 northern area. Large frame 1 southwest area: 300-400 lbs. 80.00-85.00; 400-500 lbs. 75.00-79.00. Heifers: Medium frame 1 200-300 lbs.

61.00-70.00; 300-400 lbs. 63.00-68.50; 400-500 lbs. 58.00-64.00; 500-600 lbs. 57.25-61.00; large frame 1 300-400 lbs. 62.00-67.00; 400-500 lbs. 57.00-63.00. Small frame 1 northern area: 200-300 lbs. 60.50-65.50; 300-400 lbs. 54.00-61.00. Cow and Calf Pairs: Medium frame 1-2 cows with 100-300 lb. calves 360.00-500.00 per pair. Replacement and/or Feeder Cows: Medium frame 1-2 cows 1½-3 years bred 5-8 months 600-735 lbs. 54.00-59.00. Large frame 1-2 cows 3-6 years 940-1080 lbs. 43.00-50.00.

Canadians Hike Wheat Acreage 6.8%, to 33,241,700

Canadian farmers intend to again seek a record wheat acreage this year despite high world wheat inventories. In its regular survey of farmers' intentions, Statistics Canada, a federal agency, said the country's wheat acreage is expected to total 33,241,700 acres this year, up 6.8% from 31,121,700 acres last year. If the intentions are realized, 1983 will be the third consecutive year of record wheat acreage, the agency said.

Of the total acreage, spring wheat which will be seeded in coming weeks for harvest this fall, is expected to total 28,631,700 acres, up 6.5% from 26,871,700 acres the previous year. Winter wheat acreage is estimated at 4,610,000 or 72% from 500,000 last year and durum wheat is expected to be unchanged at 3,750,000 acres. Since the survey was taken last month, the government has recommended that Canadian farmers cut back on their wheat acreage this year to support U.S. efforts to limit grain production. The response to the government's recommendation won't be known until the next survey later this spring. Statistics Canada said Canada's barley acreage is expected to total 11,890,000, off 0.4% from 13,223,000 last year. Barley is the country's main feed-grain. Acreage for rapeseed, the main Canadian oilseed, is expected to total 4,975,000, up 17.3% from 4,240,000 last year. The agency said the increase wouldn't be sufficient to meet industry demand.

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Third Annual Gulf Coast Simmental Association Sale April 30, 1983

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Apr 21, 1983

McDougle/Roberts Sale To Feature Audio-Visual Presentation

Longhorn cattle, mariachi music and the wizardry of video tape will highlight the first annual McDougle/Roberts Hill Country Invitational Longhorn Sale at the ballroom in the La Mansion Del Norte Hotel in San Antonio, May 12, at 7 p.m.

Top of the breed longhorn cattle will be featured in the sale, according to sponsors Mel McDougle and John Roberts of San Antonio and premier consignor DeWitt Meshell of Houston. Guest consignors from all of South Texas will also be represented at the sale.

Longhorn sales are not uncommon among cattle breeders in Texas, but audio-visual presentations at the sales are, according to McDougle. The Hill Country Invitational Sale will feature audio-visual presentations on each of

the ranchers' cattle breeding operations. "Most Longhorn breeders know one another but usually aren't familiar with their associates' cattle and ranching programs," said McDougle. "This presentation will inform everyone not only about the particular cow up for auction but will also shed some light on the breeder's ranching activities."

McAlester Monday

McAlester, Okla., Apr. 18 (F-S) — Receipts 1,000. Feeder cattle and calves 2.00-3.00 lower; slaughter cows steady to 1.00 lower; bulls 1.00-3.00 lower. Feeder steers: medium frame no. 1 200-300 lb. 81.00-88.50; 300-400 lb. 79.00-88.00; 400-500 lb. 72.00-77.50; 500-600 lb. 68.00-72.50; 600-700 lb. 65.50-68.50. Medium frame no. 2 300-400 lb. 65.50-76.50; 400-500 lb. 65.50-70.00; 500-600 lb. 65.50-67.00. Heifers: medium frame no. 1 200-300 lb. 87.00-73.00; 300-400 lb. 65.00-70.00; 400-500 lb.

Panhandle, Oklahoma, N. Mexico Feeders

Amarillo, Apr. 15 (F-S) — Texas Panhandle, Western Oklahoma and New Mexico weekly feeder cattle summary. Feeder steers and heifers generally steady, instances 50 cents lower on few steers. Trading fairly active under good demand. Numbers include several strings from East Texas, Oklahoma, and the Southeast. Feeder steers: 18,700. Medium & large frame no. 1: for current delivery 650-850 lb. 68.00-68.50 FOB; 68.00-69.50 delivered; 68.00-68.50; 500-600 lb. 59.00-62.50.

National Feeder Pig Summary

St. Joseph, Apr. 15 (USDA) — Receipts This Week: 56,000 Last Week 56,700 Year Ago 52,700. Feeder pigs per head uneven steady to 7.00 lower except St. Joseph steady to 4.00 higher. Most decline generally at reporting markets on 30-55 lb. weights with those over 55 lbs. steady to 3.00 higher. Per cwt uneven, steady to 12.00 lower with weights under 50 lbs. steady to 12.00 higher in Kentucky and Alabama. Iowa Auctions: 10,000. Per head US 1-2 40-60 lbs. 42.00-53.25, 50-60 lbs. 50.00-57.50, 60-70 lbs. 57.50-64.50, 70-80 lbs. 64.50-67.25, 80-100 lbs. 67.00-70.25, 212 head 128 lbs. 77.00.

Omaha Feeders

Omaha, Apr. 15 (USDA) — Friday Feeder Cattle Auction Receipts 2,200. First volume test in some time as recent price comparisons available to gauge trends. Demand fairly good, particularly for reputation consignments from western range areas. Steers: medium, some large frame 1 part loads 300-400 lbs. 75.00-78.00, package 65.00; 425-500 lbs. bulk 72.00-75.10, few packages 65.75-71.00; 500-600 lbs. in volume 69.00-73.00, part loads 64.75-67.75, 2 loads Utah origin 75.00-75.85, 600-700 lbs. 65.00-69.50, packages 62.00-64.00; 700-800 lbs. 65.50-68.75; 800-900 lbs. several loads fleshy 64.50-65.00; part loads 1000-1200 lbs. fleshy 64.75-67.75. Heifers: medium, some large frame 1: 350 head string reputation sandhills origin 385-425 lbs. 70.25-74.50; other 325-500 lbs. 62.00-66.00, several packages 66.50-68.00; 500-675 lbs. 60.00-64.85, few small lots 67.00-68.00; 700-800 lbs. 60.00-64.00.

Simbrah Breeders To Meet For Planning Of Second Classic Sale

Simbrah breeders will meet, May 16 at the Livestock Performance Center near San Antonio to organize the Second Simbrah Classic Sale. It will be a combination field day and organizational meeting for those interested in joining and consigning cattle to the 1984 Classic. Breeders are encouraged to attend this meeting and to bring their cattle for exhibit. The day will begin at 11 a.m. with viewing of the exhibit cattle and the opportunity to visit with fellow breeders. Lunch will be available at noon and then the organizational meeting will be at 1:30 p.m. After the meeting there will be a happy hour and more time for visiting. For more information contact Ken Perayn, P.O. Box 585, Castroville, TX 78009.

West Kansas Feedlots

Dodge City, Apr. 15 (USDA) — Slaughter steers 50 higher; slaughter heifers steady. More rain and snow fell over part of the area and feedlots and cattle are still muddy. "Gain costs" continued to be very erratic. Sales confirmed on 22,200 slaughter steers and 10,000 slaughter heifers. Steers: throughout the period, choice 2-3, few 4 1025-1250 lbs. mostly 1050-1125 lbs. 71.00-73.00, late sale 72.50-73.00; choice with end good 1025-1150 lbs. 71.00-73.75, late 71.75-72.75; mixed good and choice 1100 lbs. 71.00-72.00; few choice with end good 1100-1200 lbs. Heifers: throughout the period, choice 2-3, few 4 915-1050 lbs. mostly 950-975 lbs. 69.00-70.00, mostly 69.50-70.00, one pen Wednesday 71.00, choice with end good 925-1000 lbs. 67.75-69.00, few mixed good and choice 925-975 lbs. 67.00-68.50; few choice with end commercial and good 975-1000 lb. heifers and heiferettes 66.00-67.50; few mixed commercial to choice 975-1050 lb. heifers and heiferettes 61.00-64.00.

Campbell Simbrah Seedstock Sale Set for May 9

Centreville, Miss. — Charles Campbell Farms Simbrah Seedstock Sale will be held Monday, May 9, 1983. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. at the Charles Campbell Sales Arena at Centreville, Miss.

Selling will be 200 lots of quality Simbrah cattle. The sale offering is made up of 3/8 Simmental x 1/2 Brahman females, 1/2 Simmental x 3/8 Brahman females and 3/4 Simmental x 1/4 Brahman females with purchased Simbrah calves at side or bred to calve purebred Simbrah. Many are 3 in 1 packages. Also selling will be purebred Simmental females bred Simbrah to have 3/4 Simmental x 1/4 Brahman calves and registered Brahman females bred to fullblood and 1/2 Simmental x 1/2 Brahman bulls. A few select, breeding age Simbrah bulls will sell.

Sale headquarters will be the Ramada Inn, St. Francisville, LA, 504/635-3821. For catalogs and information contact Charles Campbell, Rt. 1 Box 172, Centreville, MS 39031, 601/888-6708 or the sale manager, Jon Weil, Reputation Cattle Management Co., Livonia, LA 70755, 504/637-2225.

Strengthen me by sympathizing with my strength, not my weakness.

"Weekend In The Ozarks" Avgs. \$2185 On Bulls, \$2755 On Females

Wessex Charolais of Koshkonong, MO, held their "Weekend In The Ozarks" with the bull sale April 15 averaging \$2185 and the females on April 16 going for \$2755.

Act I, the bull sale saw 58 1/2 lots bring \$127,828 with the top, a one half interest, going for \$40,000. This was WC Epic 2083, a April 1982 son of Iceman 811 out of a BR Genesis AAA daughter, with a frame score of 8.25. The interest went to 4J Charolais of Big Creek, MS.

Hoover Charolais of Fulton, MO, paid \$5900 for another Iceman 811 son for the second top selling bull. This was WC David 8000, a April 1981 calf out of a Alfalfa John daughter.

Act II, was the female sale and the 76 lots grossed \$211,650 for an average of \$2755.

Topping the female sale was WF Persephone 1188, a Dec. 1981 daughter of Iceman 811, that sold open to Bonaparte Charolais, Inc., Atlanta, GA, for \$8500. Another open daughter of Iceman 811 WC Miss Elena, born Feb. 1982 went to J.C. Enterprises of Ringold, PA, for \$6750.

WC Miss Avinette 918P, a Jan. 1979 daughter of RC Camelots Shadow with a Sept. heifer calf at side by Iceman 811 and rebred to Iceman, attracted the most dollars of the female sale. The cow went to Hubert Charolais, Monument, KS, and ABC Charolais, Martinsburg, MO, for \$6000 and the calf brought \$8750 from Greg McMillin, Carrollton, OH.

Stanley Stout was the auctioneer.

Griner Herefords Gross \$476,191

Griner Hereford Farm Dispersal Sale, April 11 at Columbia MS, sold 448 1/4 lots for \$476,191 to average \$1062. Thirteen and 1/4 herd bulls averaged \$4530, 255 pairs \$1012, 63 bred and open females \$794, and 117 open heifers \$904. 101 Brahman cross females were sold with 81 F1 pairs averaging \$815 and 20 open heifers at \$490.

United Livestock Brokers managed the sale Stanley Stout and Bryan Swilley the auctioneers.

Texas Simmental Stocker Sale Averages \$1420 On 148 Lots

One hundred and forty-eight lots of Simmentals sold for \$210,090 to average \$1420 at the Texas Simmental Stocker Sale, March 27 in San Antonio, TX.

Topping the sale was a 1981 Signal daughter sale in calf to Special Effort. The fullblood female sold to Triple C Ranch, Lampasas, TX, for \$4400. She was a consignment of Reyes Simmental Ranch of San Antonio.

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Brazos Valley F1's Avg. \$702 On 471 Lots

Four hundred and seventy-one lots of F1 females went through the ring during the 18th Annual Brazos Valley F1 Show and Sale, April 9 in Bryan, TX.

Top selling group of heifers were a pen of Brahman-Hereford from Morris Lacy K Ranch at Marquez, TX. They brought \$1275 each from A.M. Dunn of Weatherford, TX.

Plum Creek Ranch, Fairfield, had the champion group with a pen of Brangus

plains that sold for \$1150 to Awall Ranch at Fairfield. Reserve champion pen were consigned by Mesa Cattle Co., Brenham, and sold to P-Point Ranch, Alpha.

Britten and Britten were the auctioneers and sale managers.

Barrister Influence Simmentals Avg. \$1475

Top selling lot of the Barrister Influence Simmental Female Sale, Feb. 28 in Chickasha, OK, was an extra daughter with a Big 'N' Tail bull calf at side. She brought \$4900 from Mackovicks Simmentals, Uyvers, NE.

Dale Aldridge of Carter, OK, took home a fullblood son of Canadian Salvator to top the bull offering at \$2900.

Carl Wooldridge, Wilburton, OK, was the volume buyer of the day taking 13 purebred heifers carrying the service of Barrister Program bulls.

Ralph Walte of Lanepah, OK, was the auctioneer.

Strengthen me by sympathizing with my strength, not my weakness.

Florida Monday

Orlando, Apr. 18 (F-S) — Monday Receipts at Gainesville, Graceville, Tampa and Wauchula 2,200. Slaughter cows steady to 2.00 lower except Tampa firm to 75 cents higher; bulls and slaughter calves steady. Bulk of feeder offerings medium frame 1&2 250-500 lbs. with steers steady to 3.00 higher; heifers steady to 2.00 up, most increase at Gainesville; stocker and feeder cows steady to 2.00 lower.

Slaughter cows: high-yielding utility and commercial 2-4 42.50-45.50; utility 2-3 39.00-45.00, up to 47.00 at Tampa; cutter 1-2 34.00-42.00. Bulls: yield grade 1&2 1500-2100 lbs. 60.00-67.00; 1600-1800 lbs. 45.00-55.00. Calves: choice 250-350 lbs. 60.00-70.00; 350-500 lbs. 53.50-63.50.

Feeder classes: steers (and bulls): medium frame 1 150-200 lbs. mostly at Tampa and Wauchula, 100.00-115.00; 200-250 lbs. 90.00-100.00; 250-300 lbs. 85.00-95.00; 300-350 lbs. 79.00-87.00; 350-400 lbs. 75.00-79.00, Panhandle 300-400 lbs. 65.00-77.00; 400-500 lbs. 65.00-78.00; 500-600 lbs. 65.00-72.00; 600-700 lbs. 62.00-67.00.

Heifers: medium frame 1 150-200 lbs.

80.00-92.00; 200-250 lbs. 70.00-77.00; 250-300 lbs. 67.00-72.00; 300-350 lbs. 63.00-69.00; 350-400 lbs. 60.00-66.00; 400-500 lbs. 59.00-64.00; 500-600 lbs. 56.00-61.00; 600-700 lbs. 54.00-59.00. Cows: middle aged, thin to moderate fleshed; medium frame 2 33.00-42.00, small frame 2 32.50-41.50; medium frame 1 with 100-150 lbs. calves at side \$420-\$440 per pair, large frame 1 \$475-\$485 per pair and few small frame 2 \$250-\$320 per pair.

Texhoma Thursday

Texhoma, Okla., Apr. 14 (F-S) — Receipts 3,500. Feeder steers under 500# steady; over 500# steady to 1.00 lower. Feeder heifers under 500# steady; over 500# steady to 1.00 lower. Slaughter cows 3.00 lower. Bulls 2.00 lower. Feeder steers: medium frame 1 300-400# 77.00-85.50; 400-500# 75.00-82.00; 500-600# 69.25-73.00; 600-700# 68.50-70.50; 700-800# 67.50-70.00. Heifers: medium frame 1 300-400# 68.50-72.75; 400-500# 67.00-72.25; 500-600# 63.00-66.00; 600-700# 62.50-65.00.

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The Offering

- 2 - Open Females
- 36 - Bred Females
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- 7 - 3-In-Ones
- 2 - Bulls
- 1 - Steer

The Hill Country Schedule

(all events at La Mansion del Norte)

Friday, May 13
8:00 a.m. Sale Cattle Available for Inspection
5:30 p.m. Cocktails in the Courtyard
6:30 p.m. Mexican Buffet
7:30 p.m. The Hill Country Invitational Sale

Dress: Western Casual Auctioneer: Eddie Wood

- Make sure and attend
- McCombs Longhorn Sale and Heifer Futurity, Saturday, May 14, Johnson City, Texas
- Groves-Sparger Sale, Friday, May 20, D'Hanis, Texas
- YO Invitational Sale, Saturday, May 21, Mountain Home, Texas

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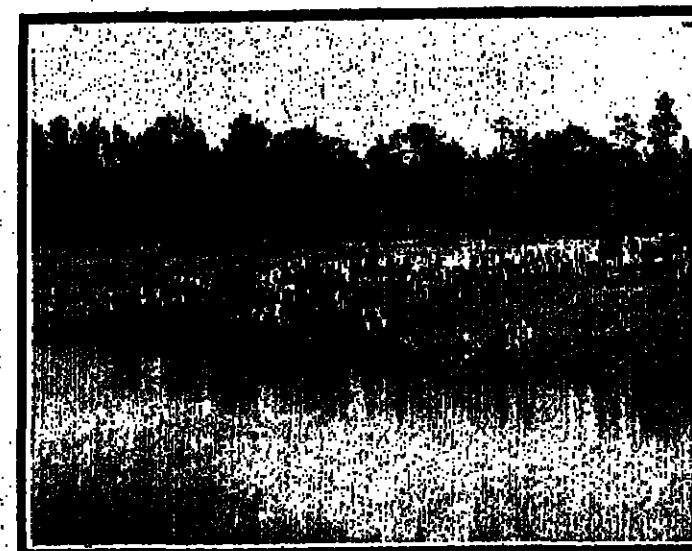
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Bellar Exotic Farms New Sale Date Apr. 27 Due To Bad Weather

Winer, Nebr. Due to severe bad weather Bellar Exotic Farms sale has been moved to April 27, 1983 at the farm at Winer, Nebr.

Selling will be 70 bulls, 3/4 blood thru fullblood and 20 show heifer prospects, 3/4 blood thru fullblood.

For information contact Randy Bellar, Box 649, Winer, Nebr. 68791, 405/629-6124 home or 405/629-6060 office.

TLBAA Youth Convention

The Texas Longhorn Breeders of Tomorrow, a new and exciting concept in youth organizations, will hold its first

National Convention and Show Friday and Saturday, June 3 and 4, 1983, at the Little Bear Ranch near Weatherford, Texas.

The TLBAA, developed by Gary Henry and other members of the Youth Committee, and approved by the Board of Directors on January 22, 1983, allows membership participation such as public speaking, show rings, etc. Members of the TLBAA Youth Committee include Gary Henry, Chairman; Gene Bartnicki, Beth Thatcher, Jan Koehne, Gary Bloomer, Richard Crist, Sue Singletary, Chuck Knight, Mike Donley and Cheryl Slakey.

The purpose of the youth group is to give our youth the opportunity to become totally and completely involved with Texas Longhorns and gain the knowledge and experience necessary to become successful breeders of Texas Longhorns and an integral part of the

TLBAA. The TLBAA program is exciting and unique! To be a complete success, as much participation by the TLBAA as possible is needed. Our youth will both enjoy and benefit from this program with membership support and encouragement. For more information call or write any of the committee members listed or the TLBAA office.

Pinzgauer/Pinzbrah Field Day Will Be May 14 in Athens, TX

Bob Sullivan, President of the Southwest Pinzgauer Association and Dan Scott, spokesman for East Texas Pinzgauer Breeders jointly announced that the Southwest Pinzgauer Association and East Texas Pinzgauer Breeders would co-sponsor a Pinzgauer/Pinzbrah Field Day to be held at

the Henderson County Fairgrounds at Athens, Texas on May 14, 1983. Sullivan stated that the S.W.P.A. annual membership and Board of Directors Meeting would also be held at that time.

The Field Day is planned to follow the format of the highly successful venture held in Canton, Texas in 1982. Already confirmed for the program are outstanding beef cattle specialists and agricultural economic experts from area experiment stations and universities. Regional and national Pinzgauer leaders will also outline history and progress of the Pinzgauer breed with emphasis for this exhibit being placed on the unique genetic potential of Pinzgauer cattle in crossbreeding programs.

The highlight of last year's program, a buffet luncheon which is provided by East Texas Pinzgauer breeders and their wives and provided for all visitors and guests at the Field Day, is again included in the program. Local arrangements are the responsibility of Marie Hooper, Tyler, Texas, Dan Scott, Murchison, Texas and Matt Free, Sunnyvale, Texas. Individuals interested in bringing exhibit cattle, or have suggestions for the program or require any additional information regarding the Field Day are urged to contact these Committee members.

As an added feature of this Field Day the Southwest Association is asking the APA to provide materials and expertise for conducting a cattle registration workshop and a field trip is planned at the end of the Field Day to Scott Pinzgauer Ranch to visit Pinzgauer and Pinzbrah breeding operations and to examine various forage programs on the ranch.

S.W.P.A. members invite all Pinzgauer breeders and potential Pinzgauer people to mark their calendars for May 14th and make first plans to attend this fun and educational program.

Tour Of Beefmaster Ranches Scheduled By LCBBA And BBU

A tour of Beefmaster ranches in South Texas has been scheduled by Live Oak County Beefmaster Breeders Association May 19 and 20, 1983. The tour, co-sponsored by Beefmaster Breeders Universal, is the first one for the breed.

The tour is being paid for by participating members of LCBBA, and is open to purebred and commercial producers. "We've been thinking about having tours for sometime now," said Gene Kuykendall, executive vice president of BBU, "and the obvious place to start is in Live Oak County where the greatest concentration of Beefmasters are today. It's a good opportunity to broaden communication and understanding between our purebred breeders and the commercial producers. We hope both will participate."

Ranch stops include Leon Landford Beefmasters, Sandia; Pete Murphy Beefmasters, Alice; Edwin Singer Ranch, Three Rivers; Don Moore Beefmaster, George West; John Welder Ranch, Tynan; Ed Wicker Beefmasters; Boeville; The South Texas Children's Home, Pettus; and Joe Yarbro Ranch, Three Rivers.

In addition, cattle will be displayed by members of LCBBA at the Live Oak County Barn between Three Rivers and George West. Beefmasters will be displayed by Fred Brauchle, J.E. Kolb, Stewart Brothers, Wayne Bowers, Sherri Mills, Lou Jaski, Palmer Brothers, William McQuary, and Raymond Winding. Each breeder will have a brief period to talk about his cattle during the event.

The tour will begin on May 19th in Corpus Christi. The bus will leave the Airport Hilton Inn at 7:00 a.m. and return there at the end of the tour on May 20th. For additional information on the tour schedule, hotel accommodations, and participating Beefmaster ranches, contact: BBU, 860 GPM S. Tower, 800 NW Loop 410, San Antonio, Tex. 78216, ph. 512/841-1277; or LCBBA, P.O. Box 1169, Three Rivers, Tex. 78071.

TLBAA Announce Fund Raising Sale For Headquarters

A fund raising sale of registered Texas Longhorns will be held in Reno, Nevada, August 12 for the Texas Longhorn Breeders Association of America National Headquarters & Museum.

The sale will be held at the MGM Grand Hotel and is a special addition to the annual convention of the TLBAA. The offering will include 50-60 top registered Texas Longhorns that are donated to the sale by members of the TLBAA. Proceeds from the sale go to the association building fund.

Sale nominations will be accepted until May 10, 1983 and a sale committee will make the final selections from the information submitted. All nomination information should be sent to the TLBAA office.

The sale is managed by TLBAA and Eddie Wood will be the auctioneer. For more information, contact: Charles Dooley, executive director, 817/831-4877, 8701 Airport Freeway, Fort Worth, TX 76117.

LIVESTOCK CALENDAR

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- 4-22-Martin Brothers SS Ranch Haygood & Strawn Polled Hereford Prod. Sale, Granite, OK
- 4-23-Hal Curry Complete Appaloosa Horse Dispersal, Waxahachie Livestock Comm. Co., Waxahachie, TX, S/M Glenn Stephenson
- 4-23-Diamond N Ranch Brangus Bull Sale, Tulsa, OK, S/M Syler Sales
- 4-23-Texas Longhorn Breeders Gulf Coast Assn. Sale, Houston, TX
- 4-23-Blue Dane Simmental "Share the twinning lines," 2nd Annual Swiss Fullblood Simmental Prod. Sale, Thral, TX
- 4-23-Gene Mays Quarter Horse Dispersal, Midland, TX
- 4-23-Wiley Britton Hereford Sale, Leaky, OK
- 4-23-Somer Spring Shorthorn Selection, Ada, OK, S/M Kahoa Cattle Services
- 4-23-Heart of the Bluebonnet Joint Brangus Offering, Brenham, TX, S/M Pierce Sales
- 4-23-Baird Beefmaster Sale, Brownwood, TX

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- 4-23-Greater West Texas Angus Assn. Sale, Tri State Fairgrounds, Amarillo, TX
- 4-23-Mayfair Ranch F1 Sale, Brenham, TX, S/M Britten & Britten
- 4-23-Southern Classic Santa Gertrudis Sale, New Albany, MS
- 4-23-Little's Hilltop Ranch Limousin Sale, Mt. Pleasant, TX, S/M American Cattle Service
- 4-23-OK Chianina LTD. 3rd Edition, Chickasha, OK
- 4-23-Governors Classic Simmental Sale (night), Austin, TX
- 4-24-KowBell Rodeo Auction, Mansfield, TX
- 4-24-Spring Special Registered Horse Sale, Bridgeport Livestock Auction, Bridgeport, TX
- 4-24-Kelley's J & R Ranch & Guests Simbrah Sale, State Fair Grounds, Shreveport, LA
- 4-24-Moore, Shelton & McMullen Beefmaster Sale, West, TX
- 4-24-Frau Limousin Prod. Sale, Florence, TX, S/M American Cattle Service
- 4-24/25-Triangle Sales Annual Spring Consignment Quarter Horse Sale, Oklahoma City, OK

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- 4-25-Diamond Lazy J Beefmaster Sale, Lexington, TX
- 4-25-Star Creek Brangus Sale, Kilgore, TX
- 4-27-Bellar Exotic Farms Chianina Prod. Sale, Winer, NE
- 4-28-Special Stocker Feeder Sale, Fort Worth Stockyards
- 4-28-Bond Simmental Ranch Austrian Influence and Purebred Sale, Atlanta, GA
- 4-28-LaCompana Ranch Galt Test Bull Sale, George West, TX
- 4-28-Chadbourne Ranch Chianina Sale, Bronte, TX
- 4-28-Lovana Angus Farms Sale, Clarksville, GA
- 4-30-Dolch Polled Hereford Springtime Festival, Anadarko, OK
- 4-30-Big Country Brangus Spectacular Sale, Abilene, TX
- 4-30-Gulf Coast Simmental Sale, Brenham, TX
- 4-30-Texas Limousin Assn. Spring Harvest Sale, Taylor, TX, S/M Charles Rollins
- 4-30-Heyser Angus Select Registered and Open Replacement Heifer Sale, Cisco, TX

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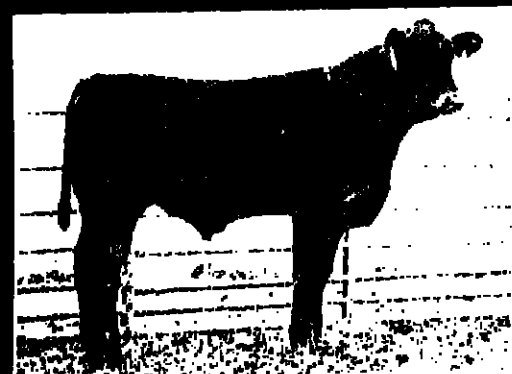
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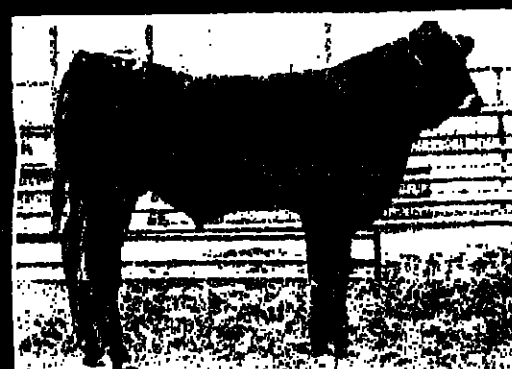
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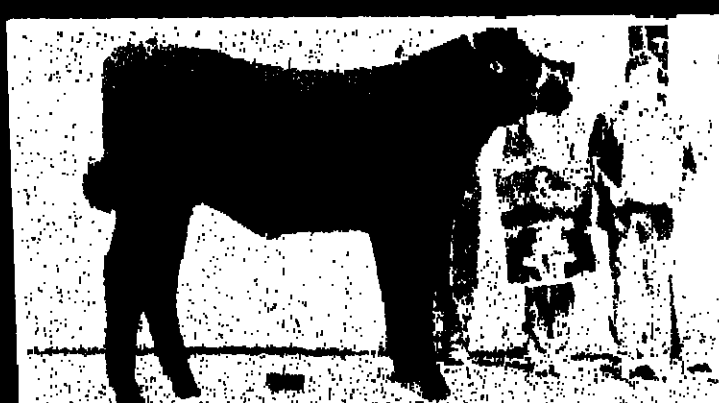
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 4-30-Guerra Bros. Red Brangus Prod. Sale, Linn, TX
 4-30-2nd Annual La Puerta Ranch Invitational Spring Festival Santa Gertrudis Sale, Agua Dulce, TX
 5-1-Walla Ranch Simmental Sale, Lenepah, OK
 5-1-Torres Seca Beefmasters "The Beginning," George West, TX, S/M Reyes & Miniald
 5-1-Dewey Arnold Beefmaster Sale, Freer, TX
 5-2-Nine Bar, San Jose & Shelton Santa Gertrudis Sale, Hempstead, TX
 5-6-Galaxy of Stars Limousin Sale, Chelsea, OK, (night sale), S/M American Cattle Service
 5-7-K Bar A Angus Sale, Edgewood, TX, S/M O'Bryan Sales
 5-7-East Texas Brahman Assn. Field Day, San Augustine, TX
 5-7-Braxton Valley Prod. Sale, Simonton, TX, S/M Pierce Sales Co.
 5-7-Show-Me Brangus Classic, Springfield, MO, S/M Syler Sales
 5-7-East Texas Simmental Assn. Annual Prod. Sale, Henderson, TX

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 5-7-Showcase 1 Brahman Sale, 7:30 P.M., Tyler, TX
 5-7-Lone Star Beefmaster Breeders Assn. Sale, Sulphur Springs, TX
 5-7-Running O Ranch Quarter Horse Prod. Sale, Plano, TX
 5-7-Western American Assn. Longhorn Sale, Elko, NV
 5-7-McKellar Ranch Brahman Sale, Mt. Pleasant, TX
 5-7-Gulf Coast B1 Brahman Influence Female Sale, Sealy, TX, S/M World Sales
 5-7-North East Texas Limousin Assn. Sale, Paris, TX, S/M Charles Rollins
 5-7-Five Star Alliance Limousin Sale, Gravette, AR, S/M American Cattle Service
 5-7-5th Black Invitational Chianina Sale, Ardmore, OK, S/M Dub Venable, Inc.
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 5-8-Star Polled Hereford Sale, Hillsboro, TX
 5-9-Green's Polled Hereford Farm Prod. Sale, Dubach, LA

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 5-11-Southwest Auction Co. Tractor & Equipment Sale, Howe, TX
 5-13-Diamond C Jubilee Simmental Sale, Stephenville, TX
 5-13-Timmons Ranch Hereford Sale, Weatherford, TX
 5-13-McDougle-Roberts Hill Country Invitational Longhorn Sale, La-Mansion Del Norte Hotel, San Antonio, TX
 5-13-Leon Valley Angus Assn. Female Sale (NO LOCATION)
 5-13-Stolander Brangus Prod. Sale, Riesel, TX, S/M Pierce Sales Co.
 5-14-Workman Ranch Quarter Horse Prod. and Consignment Sale, Mineral Wells, TX
 5-14-Texas Shorthorn Assn. Spring Sale, Waxahachie, TX
 5-14-Eastern Oklahoma Simmental Assn. Sale, Tulsa, OK
 5-14-Canus Green Acres Angus Sale, McKinney, TX
 5-14-"Yellow Rose of Texas" Brangus Sale, Fort Worth, TX, S/M Syler Sales
 5-14-J. A. Leonard Simmental Sale, Leander, TX
 5-14-Oklahoma Assn. Brahman Sale, Willburton, OK
 5-14-Red McCombs Annual Fiesta Longhorn Sale, Johnson City, TX
 5-14-Rather L Ranch Quarter Horse Prod. Sale, Miami, TX

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 5-14-Heart of Texas Brangus Prod. Sale, Cameron, TX, S/M Pierce Sales Co.
 5-14-Capriccio Cattle Co. Chianina Prod. Sale, Quitman, TX, S/M Dub Venable, Inc.
 5-14-Texas Limousin Prod. Sale, New Braunfels, TX, S/M American Cattle Service
 5-14/15-Western Heritage Santa Gertrudis Sale, Houston, TX
 5-15-C&B Quarter Horse Prod. Sale, Decatur, TX
 5-15-"You Pick It" Chianina Sale, Sayre, OK
 5-15-Yarbro, Wieding & Schacherl Beefmaster Prod. Sale (Location to be announced)
 5-16-Lawrence R. Roberts Ranch Complete Hereford Dispersal, Russellville, AR
 5-16-Premier Santa Gertrudis Sale, Waxahachie, TX
 5-17-Hodge & Campbell Santa Gertrudis Prod. Sale, West, TX

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Waite Ranch Simmental
 Production Sale At
 Lenepah, Okla., May

Lenepah, Okla. The Waite Ranch
 Simmental Production Sale will be held
 Sunday, May 1, 1983. Sale time is 2:00
 p.m. at the ranch located 18 miles south
 of Coffeyville, Kansas on Hwy. 169 and
 8 miles west of Lenepah, Oklahoma.
 Selling will be fullblood, purebred
 and commercial bulls, bred heifers,
 winter and spring yearling heifers and
 short yearling heifers. The sale will also
 feature a small, select group of Fall
 1982 heifer show prospects.
 Lunch will be available.
 For information contact Waite
 Ranch, Ralph Waite, 918/468-2415 or
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5-19-Mossy Oaks Ranch Santa Gertrudis Sale, Bellville, TX
 5-20-Tri Star Santa Gertrudis Prod. Sale, Brenham, TX
 5-20-Second Annual Graves-Sparger Longhorn Sale, D'Harle, TX
 5-21-Red Rose Invitational Red Brahman Sale, Tyler, TX
 5-21-Nor-Tex Farms Annual Maine-Anjou Fiesta Sale, New Braunfels, TX
 5-21-E. O. Doggett's Best of Two Worlds Red Brahman Sale, Tyler, TX
 5-21-A. C. Angus Ranch Mature Cow Herd Dispersal, Stigler, OK, S/M Dub Venable
 5-21-Palo Pinto Simmental Assn. Sale, Fort Worth, TX
 5-21-YO Ranch Invitational Longhorn Sale, Mountain Home, TX
 5-21-Courtney Stock Farm Brahman Sale, Lafayette, LA, S/M World Sales
 5-21-Hub of Texas Angus Sale, Waco, TX
 5-21-Mid Coast Santa Gertrudis Assn. Sale, Brenham, TX
 5-21-Louisiana Limousin Assn. Sale, Alexandria, LA, S/M Charles Rollins
 5-21-Oklahoma Auction Center Cow Sale, Chickasha, OK
 5-21-Moon Lake Brangus Prod. Sale, Rosharon, TX, S/M Pierce Sales Co.

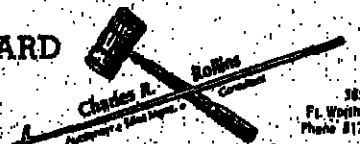
TEXAS SHORTHORN ASSN. SPRING SALE May 14, 1983 - 1:00 P.M. Ellis County Fairgrounds Waxahachie, Texas

OVER 60 LOTS SELL
 12 Bulls 25 Pairs
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5-21-North Texas Limousin Classic, Justin, TX, S/M American Cattle Service
 5-21-Bob Kerr K-Bar-4 Angus Sale, Red, OK, S/M American Angus Hall of Fame
 5-22-Lenford Beefmasters Prod. Sale, Hilton Inn, Corpus Christi, TX
 5-22/23-American Breeders Service A.I. Mgt. School, no Palpatation, Gainesville, TX
 5-23/24-COBA A.I. & Palpatation School, Tyler, TX
 5-23-Kentucky Spring Feeder Cattle Sale, Leitchfield, KY
 5-27-Spring Spectacular Beefmaster Heifer Sale, Crockett, TX, S/M Superior Sales
 5-27/28-Oklahoma Hereford Assn. Tour (NO LOCATION)
 5-28-Rancho Verde-Roberts Brangus Sale, San Antonio, TX, Plette Sales Co.
 5-28-Southeastern Beefmaster Breeders Assn. Atlanta Futurity Sale, Atlanta, GA

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75 Lots of Percentage and
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 275 BRAHMAN/HEREFORD
 20 BRAHMAN/RED ANGUS
 85 BRAHMAN/SIMMENTAL
 80 BRAHMAN/ANGUS
 10 BRAHMAN/LIMOUSIN
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 20 BRAHMAN/BROWN SWISS

F-1 SEMINAR Saturday - 10:30 A.M. MAY 7, 1983

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MATURE COW DISPERSAL
 Saturday - MAY 21, 1983 - 12:30 P.M.
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 Stigler, Oklahoma
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 For Information Contact:
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5-28-Speedy Cockerell Quarter Horse Reduction Sale, Durant, OK
 5-28-Miraflores Ranch Simmental Sale, Brenham, TX
 5-28-McRae/McMinn Red Brahman Sale, Mt. Pleasant, TX
 5-28-B & C Farms Show Me Longhorn Sale, St. Catherine, MO
 5-28-Mid Texas Angus Female Sale, Fort Worth
 5-28-Black Coach Brangus Sale, San Antonio, TX, S/M Pierce Sales Co.
 5-28-O'Brien Farms Limousin Prod. Sale, Pineville, MO, S/M American Cattle Service
 5-30-13th Annual DeSoto Cattlemen's Assn. Feeder Cattle Sale, Mansfield, LA
 5-30-B. L. Littleton Brangus Sale, Texarkana, TX
 5-30/31-COBA A.I. & Palpaton School, Navasota, TX
 6-1-Gunsion-West Angus Dispersal, Lampasas, TX
 6-1/2-D & B Brangus 3/4 and Brangus Dispersal, Woodward, OK
 6-1/4-Dodge City Trail Longhorn Drive, Dodge City, KS
 6-2-A OK Hereford Complete Mature Hereford Cow Herd Dispersal, Lometa, TX
 6-3-Diamond C Brangus Sale, DFW Airport, S/M Syler Sales
 6-3-Steve Emmons & Bobby Rutherford Beefmaster Sale, Fairfield, TX

Palo Pinto SIMMENTAL
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9th Annual Production Sale
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6-3-LJ Bar Beefmaster Ranch Field Day, Pleasanton, TX
 6-3-Hicks Brothers Brahman Sale, Alto, TX
 6-3-Triple H Hereford Ranch Annual Prod. Sale, Fredericksburg, TX
 6-4-LJ Bar Beefmaster Ranch Appreciation Consignment Sale, Pleasanton, TX
 6-4-J & V Simmental Dispersal, Tulsa, OK, S/M American Cattle Services
 6-4-Texas Hereford Assn. Perfect 10 Heifers Sale, Fredericksburg, TX
 6-4-Marti Charolais Share The Herd Sale, Cleburne, TX
 6-4-LS Invitational & Classic Longhorn Sale, Crowley, TX
 6-4-Apache Ranch Brahman Sale, Lovelady, TX
 6-4-Royal B Ranch Brahman Sale, Henderson, TX
 6-4-Bishop Boys Limousin Prod. Sale, Winters, TX, S/M American Cattle Service
 6-4-Razor Back Century Plus Santa Gertrudis Sale, McRae, AR, S/M Superior Sales

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 Saturday - JUNE 4, 1983 - 12:30 P.M.
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 Friday - MAY 13, 1983 - Sale 12:30 p.m.
 at TIMMONS HEREFORD RANCH - WEATHERFORD, TX.
 Guest Consignor - Hilley Hereford Ranch
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 SELLING: Hilley - 15 Cows, most bred to Stretch 6 Open Heifers (Senior Yearlings)
 For Information Contact:
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 817/594-3400

6-4/5-Oklahoma & Kansas Jr. Hereford Field Day Staats Hereford Ranch Host, Sedan, KS
 6-5-Ed & Marty Brown and Elton Sautter Joint Beefmaster Sale, Three Rivers, TX
 6-6-Lone Star Limousin Cow Sale, Luling, TX, S/M American Cattle Service
 6-8-Southwest Auction Co. Tractor & Equipment Sale, Howe, TX
 6-10-El Colla Ranch Santa Gertrudis Sale, Walnut Springs, TX
 6-10-Miss America Brangus Sale, Kerrville, TX, S/M Pierce Sale Co.
 6-11-South Texas Longhorn Assn. Sale, San Antonio, TX
 6-11-Tom & Wendy Annual Fiesta Simbrah Sale, Olmito, TX
 6-11-Midnight Angus Sale, Walnut Springs, TX
 6-11-Homer Rogers Limousin Prod. Sale, Jacksboro, TX, S/M American Cattle Service

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6-11-Seaberg Ranch Brahman Sale, Boling, TX, S/M World Sales
 6-11-Top of the Crop Brangus Sale, Kerrville, TX, S/M Pierce Sale Co.
 6-11-Brink's Brangus Prod. Sale, Kerrville, TX, S/M Pierce Sale Co.
 6-13/16-COBA A.I. & Palpaton School, Stephenville, TX
 6-15/17-National Jr. Limousin Heifer Show, San Antonio, TX
 6-18-Clark Angus-Brangus Ranch Herd Dispersal, Huntsville, TX, William Clark
 6-18-Paul McGinnis & Circle 7 Ranch Quarter Horse Sale, Glen Rose, TX, S/M John Oarlie
 6-18-West Texas Brangus Assn. Female Sale, Abilene, TX, S/M Syler Sales
 6-18-South Texas Beefmaster Breeders Assn. Buacaneer Classic, Corpus Christi, TX

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6-18-Pike's Peak Longhorn Classic, Colorado Springs, CO
 6-18-Long Ranch Brahman Sale, Lott, LA
 6-18-Indian Nations Brangus Sale, Durant, OK
 6-18-Texas Limousin Fullblood Spotlight Sale, San Antonio, TX, S/M Charles Rollins
 6-20/22-COBA A.I. & Palpaton School, Marlin, TX
 6-23/24/25-LaRue's Cattle Service Grooming School, Georgetown, TX
 6-24-Joe Hendrick's Barbon Beefmaster Sale, Corpus Christi, TX
 6-25-Oklahoma Santa Gertrudis Assn. Picture Perfect Sale, Tulsa, OK
 6-25-Colorado National Longhorn Sale (NO LOCATION)
 6-26-Riley Brangus Prod. Sale, Huntsville, MO, S/M Pierce Sale Co.

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Baird Beefmaster
Sale At Brownwood
Set For April 23

Brownwood, TX. - The 6th Annual Baird Beefmaster Sale will be held Saturday, April 23, 1983. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. at the Brownwood Cattle Auction in Brownwood, Texas. Lunch will be available. Sale day phone is 915/846-7881.

Selling will be 100 lots of Beefmaster cattle including 50 females and 50 bulls. This will be a BBU Approved sale. For information contact Baird Beefmasters, Bob Baird, Rt. 1, Mullin, TX, 78864, 915/846-8820; O.R. Baird, Friday Star Rt., Goldthwaite, Texas 78844, 915/948-3515; Robert Baird, 915/948-3888; or the sale manager, Reyes and Mihalaki, Box 82828, San Antonio, TX, 78216, 512/849-2188.

KowBell Rodeo Annual
Rodeo Livestock Auction
Set For April 24

Mansfield, TX. - The KowBell Rodeo Annual Rodeo Livestock Auction will be held Sunday, April 24, 1983. Sale time is 11:00 a.m. at the indoor KowBell Rodeo on Hwy. 287, 8 miles south of 1-80 between Fort Worth and Dallas.

All buyers, sellers, contestants and spectators are invited to attend the auction. Consignments to the auction are welcome. Already consigned are 75 horses and 62 bulls, including 35 geldings from Oregon that are untried and weigh from 1,000 to 1,200 lbs. Also selling will be two pair of matched pickup horses, roping calves and steers and a 40 foot cattle trailer. For sale and entry information contact KowBell Rodeo, Mansfield, Texas, 817/478-1128.

OK Chianina 3rd
Edition Limited
Sale, April 23

Chickasha, Okla. - The OK Chianina Limited 3rd Edition Sale will be held Saturday, April 23, 1983. Sale time is 12:30 p.m. at the Oklahoma Auction Center at Chickasha, Oklahoma. 1983 with a show at 10:00 a.m. and the sale set for 12:30 p.m. Selling will be 66 Chianina bulls including fullbloods, purebreds and blacks, most of service age. For information contact the sale management, Bub Venable, Inc., Rt. 1, Anadarko, Okla. 73008, office 405/247-5761 or home 405/247-3267.

Blue Dane Simmental
Sale at Thrall,
Texas Set April 23

Thrall, Tx. - The Blue Dane Simmental 2nd Annual Swiss Fullblood Production Sale will be held Saturday, April 23, 1983. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. 3 miles east of Thrall, Texas on Hwy. 79 and south on CD 485.

Selling will be 50 fullblood Simmental females and 5 herd sire prospects. The sale will feature consignments from D.G. Winters and Triple D Ranch cows that were twins, had twins or with twins at side, and the reserve grand champion Simbrah at the Houston Livestock Show.



Auctioneers and sale consultants are Joe Mitcham and Bert Reyes. For information contact Blue Dane Simmental, Box 214, Thrall, Texas 76578, 512/898-2938 or 898-5161.

Hal Curry Appaloosa
Horse Dispersal
Set For April 23

Waxahachie, Tx. - The Hal Curry Appaloosa Horse Dispersal will be held Saturday, April 23, 1983. Sale time is 11:30 a.m. at the Waxahachie Livestock Commission Co. in Waxahachie, Texas. The sale will be held in conjunction with the regular Saturday sale.

Selling in this complete dispersal will be 30 head including mares, colts and stallions. For information contact Glenn Stephenson, Waxahachie Livestock Commission Co. 214/878-8804 or 214/899-5332 Metro.

6-26-La Shangri-La La Femme Limousin Sale, Shangri-La Resort, Afton, OK, S/M American Cattle Service
 6-26-Joe Yarbro "Spot Influence" Beefmaster Sale, Three Rivers, TX
 6-27-Connally Ranches Santa Gertrudis Dispersal, Floresville, TX
 6-27/28-BBU Breed Improvement Symposium & Committee Meeting, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX
 7-1-Bar A Ranch Brahman Prod. Sale, Bonham, TX, S/M Richard McRae
 7-5/8-COBA A.I. & Palpaton School, Sulphur Springs, TX
 7-7-Harrell Cattle Company Beefmaster Sale, Gonzales, TX
 7-9-F. W. Weber Beefmaster Dispersal, Pleasanton, TX
 7-13-Southwest Auction Co. Tractor & Equipment Sale, Howe, TX
 7-15/16-7th Annual Nacogdoches Longhorn Sale, Nacogdoches, TX
 7-16-Canning-Diamond A Brangus Prod. Sale, Ruidosa, NM, S/M Pierce Sale Co.
 7-18/21-COBA A.I. & Palpaton School, Oklahoma City, OK
 7-28/27-LaRue's Cattle Service Foot Trimming School, Georgetown, TX
 7-28/29/30-LaRue's Cattle Service Grooming School, Georgetown, TX
 7-30-Kentucky National Santa Gertrudis Show & Sale, Bowling Green, KY, S/M Superior Sales
 8-5/7-Mid-America Longhorn Show, Pratt, KS
 8-6-"Gem Collection" Beefmaster Female Sale, Riviera Hotel, Las Vegas, NV




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Governor's Classic
Simmental Sale Set
For April 23

Austin, Texas - The Governor's Classic Simmental Sale will be held Saturday, April 23, 1983. Sale time is 7:00 p.m. at the City Coliseum, South First and Riverside Drive in Austin, Texas. Selling will be 30 fancy Simmental females and 5 herd bull prospects. The sale offering is all fullblood Simmental cattle. The sale is approved by the Texas Simmental Association. Sale headquarters will be the Hyatt Regency in Austin, 512/477-1234. Auctioneers will be Bert Reyes and Ellis Menchaca, Jr. For information contact Reyes and Menchaca, 118 West Nakoma, San Antonio, TX, 78216, 512/349-2185.

Moore-Shelton, Burning
Tree Ranch Beefmaster
Sale at West, Apr. 24

West, Texas - The Earnest Moore, Carroll Shelton, Burning Tree Ranch Beefmaster Sale will be held Sunday, April 24, 1983. The sale will be held at the West Auction Barn 18 miles north of Waco, Texas on I-88. This is a BBU Approved Sale. Sale day phone is 817/826-8785. Selling will be 115 Beefmasters including 40 three-in-one packages, 25 pairs and 60 bred and open females. Sale headquarters will be the Hilton Hotel in Waco, 817/764-8484. For information contact the sale managers and auctioneers, Reyes and Mihalaki, 118 West Nakoma, San Antonio, TX 78216, 512/349-2185.

Kelley's J & R Ranch
Simbrah-Simmental
Sale Set April 24

Shreveport, LA - Kelley's J & R Ranch Polled Influence Simbrah and Simmental Sale will be held Sunday, April 24, 1983. Sale time is 1:30 p.m. at the Louisiana State Fairgrounds in Shreveport, LA. Selling will be 100 lots including purebred and percentage Simbrah and fullblood, purebred and percentage Simmental. The offering is made up of bulls, bred and open heifers and pairs. For information contact Kelley's J & R Ranch, Jack Kelley, owner, Rt. 1, Box 473, Church Point, LA 70525, 518/842-4983 or 854-6020 or the sale manager, Jon Well, Reputation Cattle Management Co., Box 158, Livonia, LA 70755, 504/837-2226.

Gulf Coast TLBA
Plans First Sale

The Texas Longhorn Breeders' Gulf Coast will hold their first annual cattle sale on Saturday, April 23, 1983 in conjunction with the LH7 Ranch Neighbors Sale. The event will be held at the excellent new facility of the Houston Farm and Ranch Club Bear Creek Park in Houston. Eddie Wood will be the auctioneer, announced W.O. Bill Reed, sales chairman. Madden Marks is named sales manager. The TLBG has also completed arrangements with the Houston Livestock Show to hold a sale in 1984. A maximum of fifty superb animals will be offered. Plans are underway for other Texas Longhorn cattle exposure at the Houston show, announced Darrel Wilson, president. Although the Gulf Coast association is dedicated to the promotion of the Texas Longhorn primarily in its geographical area, it will enlist the cooperation of all breeders in the membership of the national Texas Longhorn Breeders' Association.

Hides & Offal

North Brunswick, N.J., Apr. 18 (USDA) - The estimated value of Hide and Offal from the average 1,000 pound slaughter steer for Monday, April 18, 1983 is \$6.91 per 100 pounds live weight, down .01 from Friday.

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218 Acres — 1/2 Mile east of Lake Palestine dam on FM 3197, 2745' frontage on Hwy., large creek, 50 acre beaver lake, heavily wooded, fenced, 40% mineral rights, lots of deer. \$1,000 per acre, owner financed. John Bass
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